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HAIL TO THE EASTER MORN!

With quickening thrill the whole earth glows!
The gray clouds redden as the [illegible],
The shy sky [illegible] with day,
The [illegible] night tide ebbs away.
Hail to the Easter morn!
Alleluia!

From prayer and fast and lenten glooms
Each soul [illegible] find some [illegible]
A reign of peace this blest day brings!
To each who [illegible] all nature [illegible]
Hail to the Easter morn!
Alleluia!

[illegible]
[illegible] at dawn doth fall,
[illegible] to roll
[illegible] of white and corn and oil.
Hail to the Easter morn!
Alleluia!

Come forth, [illegible] than faith,
Hark to the word the Easter saith.
No [illegible] the soul
[illegible] by Him who maketh whole.
Hail to the Easter morn!
Alleluia!

Unto each soul some joy is [illegible],
Unto each heart comes [illegible] pain;
No [illegible] of strife
Till [illegible] each life.
Hail to the Easter morn!
Alleluia!

To us who suffer dire despair,
And want, and depths of grawing care,
With [illegible] hope and faith new born
[illegible] the thorn,
And hail the Easter morn!
Alleluia!

Hail to the day! let each blest shrine
Of church and home, by faith divine
[illegible] altars bloom
The Eastertide with sweet perfume!
Hail to the [illegible]
Alleluia!

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DR. NORWOOD'S BRIDE

A STORY FOR THE EASTER TIME BY [illegible]

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COMMERCIAL travelers see and hear many queer things. I speak from experience, for I have been a commercial traveler for twenty years. The most touching bit of romance that ever came under my notice is the love affair of Dr. Norwood.

Of late years my business has taken me to Europe frequently. Every sea traveler knows the pleasure of sailing in a familiar steamer. One chooses the same steamer year after year, as one goes to the same hotel, grumbling all the while at the small discomforts, and yet coming to regard them as old friends.

The steamer upon which I always traveled was a roller. We often wondered when she was at her tantrums if she would roll clean over and spill us out before she righted, but she never did.

In sailing back and forth on the ship so often I had won the confidence of the captain, and he would at times unbend from his official dignity to tell me sea yarns. The doctor and [illegible] were my intimate friends, but of all the ship's people Dr. George Norwood was my favorite. He was young, not over thirty, although he had been on the lines for three years.

I noticed that there was often a sad expression on his face. One night when the sea was calm under the weight of a heavy fog and the ship was feeling her way slowly and steadily I found him pacing restlessly up and down the deck.

"Hello, doctor," I said, "why are you tramping back and forth like a polar bear in a cage?"

He [illegible] I looked at him. I had never seen the sadness on his face so pronounced before.

"Foolishness, [illegible] foolishness! I ought to be ashamed of myself," he said. Then smiling: "Come to the smoking room and have a cigar before we turn in. No use to try to sleep anyway with that fog horn blowing."

The smoking room was ablaze with electric lights, and as we sat down four bells sounded. For a wonder, at that early hour, the place was deserted.

"Doctor, nobody is seasick tonight, and there are lots of pretty girls in the cabin. Why don't you go down and make yourself agreeable? You look as if you needed a tonic of some kind, and there is nothing better than a pretty girl," I said.

He puffed rings of smoke from his lips, and I heard a long, deep sigh.

KNELT BY THE SIDE OF THE GIRL.

"Pretty girls are a delusion, Vincent," he answered, with an attempt to laugh. "I have no more use for them, and yet perhaps I do her an injustice," he added slowly, as if thinking aloud.

"Tell me about her, George," I said; "an outsider may help you with an impartial view of the case."

"If I were only sure the fault was hers I would force myself to forget her. It is the doubt that keeps up the pain," he said. "Yes, I will tell you about it, Vincent," he added after a pause; "it will be a relief to tell somebody.

"I have already told you that when I graduated from the medical college I had nothing in the world to begin life on except my diploma," he began, "but I graduated with honor, and I thought I had as good a prospect of success as any young fellow with plenty of pluck and energy and a solid profession to back him. I determined not to fall in love until I had a position secured, but I did, and that is how the trouble began. She was an American girl and her father was rich, very rich, I suppose, for he had taken a hunting lodge in Scotland for the summer and kept it filled with gay company. It was there I met Mary. My good old Scotch uncle has an estate near the lodge, and I went to visit him after finishing my studies.

"You know how young people are thrown together in a country place; there were rustic dances, hunting parties and moonlight picnics on the lake, and Mary and I were always together. I had but little chance to see her alone, but what chance I did have I made the most of, for I was desperately in love. She was shy and shrinking, but still I thought she cared for me. I was sorely perplexed, for I had nothing but love to offer her, but youth is rash and confident, and one night when a happy accident left me alone with her I asked her to be my wife. She put her little hand in mine and we were very happy. Vincent, I have never seen her since that night. I went the next morning to ask her father's consent to our marriage; he refused to see me, and the next day the family was gone. Some weeks afterward I received a cold, formal letter from her father stating that his daughter had told him of our interview; that she regretted her hasty acceptance of my offer and holding me think of her no more.

"Now you know the whole story," said the doctor, rising and walking nervously back and forth in the smoking room. "There is very little to it, but there is quite enough to break my faith in women. Life on shore became intolerable and I took this position."

"You are wrong, George, to talk about your faith in women being broken," I said; "you have no proof whatever that this girl was false to you. I can see, too, that you do not believe it yourself."

"I know nothing about it," he said moodily. "If I had a word, only one word, directly from her I should know what to think."

"How could she give it to you?" I asked. "If she was false and wished to break with you her father would encourage her to write you such a message, but if she still clung to you he would prevent all communication of course."

"I never thought of that. You may be right," he exclaimed, his eyes lighting up.

"May I ask the father's name?" I said. "Don't tell me if you prefer to keep it a secret."

"Her name is Mary—Mary Mason," he replied, answering me indirectly and speaking the name slowly, as if he loved the sound of it. "The family lives in Baltimore," he added after a pause.

THE DOCTOR STROVE TO CALM HIM.

"Take my advice, George, and try not to brood over the matter. There is nothing so futile as regret," I said. "It eats up one's courage to go ahead and does nothing but mischief. Come, let us take a brisk walk on deck before we turn in."

The fog was lifting and stars were glimmering faintly. The ocean was beginning to heave in long swells and walking on the roller was not an easy matter. We soon gave it up.

In truth, I was not inclined to carry the conversation further. Traveling on the Continent the year before, I had met the Masons, of Baltimore, and had some acquaintance with them; enough to know the character of the people. I had almost forgotten them, but it all came back to me now—the pompous, purse proud father, the ambitious mother and the pale, listless, silent daughter. I had no doubt that she was pining for her young English sweetheart. She looked like it, but that did not help matters any. At the time I knew the family it was reported that she was soon to marry a French count, who was always with her, and by this time she was probably beyond the reach of my young friend the doctor.

After that voyage I did not see George Norwood for months. The next time I crossed the water circumstances compelled me to start suddenly, and I missed my favorite steamer. But I did come home on her.

In the hurry and confusion of getting on board I saw the doctor for an instant only, but when the ship was well out to sea and the bustle of sailing day was over, I went to the smoking room to find him. He was not there; neither was he in his stateroom, and I sat down on the deck alone. The spell of the sea had fast hold of me, and I was lost in thought, when a hand fell softly on my shoulder.

"Come to my room, Vincent; I have something to tell you," said the doctor.

I followed him down the deck and below to his cabin. When he closed his door and nervously snapped up the electric light I saw that he was greatly agitated.

"Vincent, Mary is on board this ship," he said.

"Is it possible?" I exclaimed. I did not know what else to say.

"Yes," he went on, "she and her father and her mother and a maid are passengers, homeward bound. They have the two largest staterooms amidships. I saw their names in the passenger list."

The mechanical, hard way in which he stated these details was startling.

"Have you seen her?" I asked.

"No, I have not seen any of them. I do not intend to. It is easy enough to keep out of their way," he said, curling his lip.

"Do they know you are here?"

"Probably not. How should they? The name of the ship's doctor is not likely to interest them. I had to tell you, that you might understand my absence from the smoking room. Mason will probably spend his time there and I cannot meet him. You will always find me here, and if you see Mary I beg you tell me if she looks well and happy. Even to know that would be a consolation."

It was evident that the young girl was Mary Mason still, which was a point gained for the doctor, I thought.

The next morning I watched the faces that gathered around the breakfast table, but a stiff January gale was blowing and the roller was up to her wildest pranks. Only a few hardened sea travelers were out. I spent considerable time with the doctor, but I had no news to give him, and he was moody and silent.

It was not until the third day out, when the storm had passed and the sea was calm, that I saw Mr. Mason. He was sitting in the cabin. He did not recognize me, and I did not speak to him, but I noticed how old and worn and weary he looked. It was not the weariness of seasickness, but more as if some great anxiety was weighing heavily upon him.

That evening I was sitting with the doctor when a message came that he was wanted in haste in the cabin. He went immediately, and I followed him. I shall never forget the scene. They had brought Mary Mason from her stateroom and laid her on a lounge, but she was feeble and the exertion was too much for her. She had fainted. Her mother and the maid were bending over her, both weeping, and her father stood near, his strong old face working with emotion. As he saw Norwood he started violently, but the doctor paid no attention. He knelt down by the side of the fainting girl and examined her carefully. Then, looking up at her mother with an encouraging smile, he said:

"She has only fainted. It is nothing serious and she will be all right soon."

He worked over her tenderly and in a few moments she began to revive. Then, giving careful directions and begging them to call him if the attack was repeated, he slipped away.

"I could not stay until she recognized me, Vincent," he said, "the shock might have been too much for her. She is very much changed, so pale and so thin," he added sadly.

We were in his room and he had scarcely spoken when Mr. Mason appeared. He grasped the doctor's hand and held it for a moment in silence.

"Dr. Norwood, she is a very sick child," he began, his voice breaking in spite of his efforts to be calm. "For more than a year she has been losing strength. We have taken her everywhere in search of health, and every day she grew weaker, until at last she begged so piteously to be carried home that I determined to gratify her even at the risk of crossing the sea at this inclement season, but I am afraid—afraid"——

He broke down and sobbed like a woman.

The doctor strove to calm him.

"Do not be alarmed, my dear sir," he said quietly, although his own voice trembled, "I see no reason for despair. Such cases of weakness in a young girl are not uncommon, and they are not necessarily fatal. If you will kindly tell me what you know of her condition"——

The old man interrupted him.

"Save her, doctor, save her," he cried; "bring back the roses to my girl's cheeks, and there is nothing I have to give that shall not be yours."

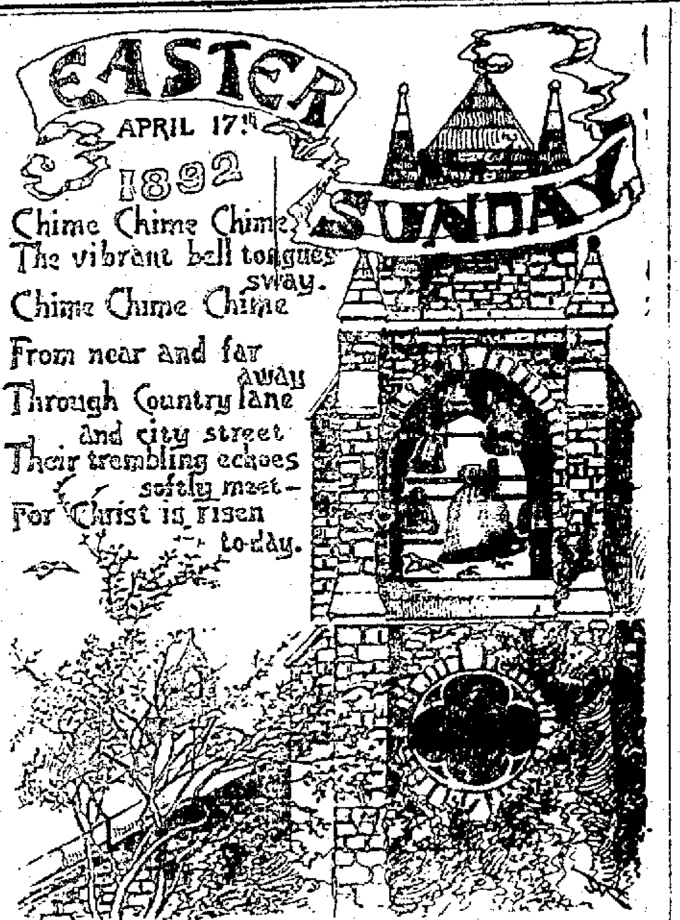
"I will save her, so help me God!" said Norwood solemnly.

I never saw George Norwood so alert as he was in the days that followed. An eager, determined look was on his face that showed me his professional skill was being taxed to the utmost. I saw very little of him, for he was rarely away from Mary's side. She did improve wonderfully during those few days. The morning we steamed up New York harbor Norwood took me to the cabin and presented me to Mary as his best friend. She was still very pale and weak, but as she greeted me her face was bright with smiles. After all, there is no medicine in the whole wide world like love!

"This is my last voyage, Vincent, but you will hear from me again," said the doctor as he left me at the pier, and I did hear before many days. First it was a glowing account of Mary and her returning health; then a request to be best man at the wedding, and early in April came the cards. The marriage was to take place during the Easter holidays.

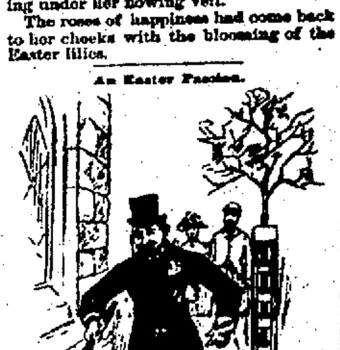
I never saw a more brilliant wedding. Palms, green and waving, turned the stately church into a dream of the tropics, and the chancel was a solid bank of violets and azaleas, pink and white. But in all this perfume and beauty the sweetest flower was the fair bride, blushing under her flowing veil.

The roses of happiness had come back to her cheeks with the blooming of the Easter lilies.



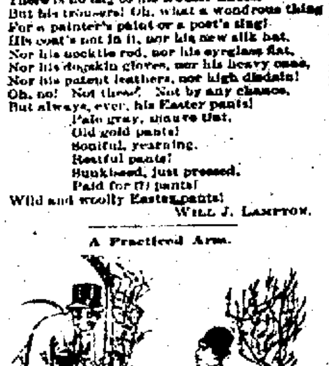
EASTER
APRIL 17th
1892
SUNDAY
Chime Chime Chime
The vibrant bell tongues sway.
Chime Chime Chime
From near and far away
Through Country lane and city street
Their trembling echoes softly meet—
For Christ is risen to-day.

An Easter Passion.



Who cares for the Easter girl? Not I.
It's the Easter dude who passeth by!
Him I would sing in these Easter lines,
Walking along where the glad sun shines.
Get on to his giblets, will you please!
There is no bag to his trouser knees:
But his trousers! Oh, what a wondrous thing
For a painter's paint or a poet's sing!
His coat's not in it, nor his new silk hat,
Nor his necktie red, nor his eyeglass flat,
Nor his dogskin gloves, nor his heavy cane,
Nor his patent leathers, nor high disdain!
Oh, no! Not these! Not by any chance,
But always, ever, his Easter pants!
Pale gray, mauve tint,
Old gold pants!
Soulful, yearning,
Restful pants!
Sunkissed, just pressed,
Paid for (?) pants!
Wild and woolly Easter pants!
WILL J. LAMPTON.

A Practiced Arm.



Griggs—Didn't you think the organ was unusually loud during the Easter services?

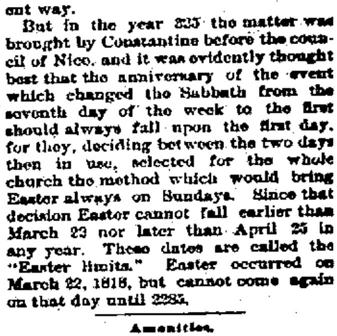
Griggs—Yes. I understand they hired the village milkman to pump it.

The Date of Easter.

What fixes the date of Easter each year, and why isn't it, like Christmas, the same date every year? Easter is the first Sunday after the full moon that occurs on or next after March 21, and if the full moon fall on the 21st Easter is the next Sunday. Of course, if the date were the same each year, the day would be Sunday only once in six years. Some of the early Christians did fix the date in this way, while others used the present way.

But in the year 325 the matter was brought by Constantine before the council of Nice, and it was evidently thought best that the anniversary of the event which changed the Sabbath from the seventh day of the week to the first should always fall upon the first day, for they, deciding between the two days then in use, selected for the whole church the method which would bring Easter always on Sundays. Since that decision Easter cannot fall earlier than March 22 nor later than April 25 in any year. These dates are called the "Easter limits." Easter occurred on March 22, 1818, but cannot come again on that day until 2285.

Amenities.



Mrs. Muslin—I was really quite concerned for you this morning during the Easter sermon, Mrs. Poplin.

Mrs. Poplin—Indeed. How so?

Mrs. Muslin—I was so afraid that you couldn't hear well. You see, your sitting is so far back of my pew.

Beneath Her.

Mrs. Spangle—Did you notice Mrs. Muslin's Easter bonnet?

Mrs. Bangle—Yes, I saw what it was, but I wouldn't notice it.

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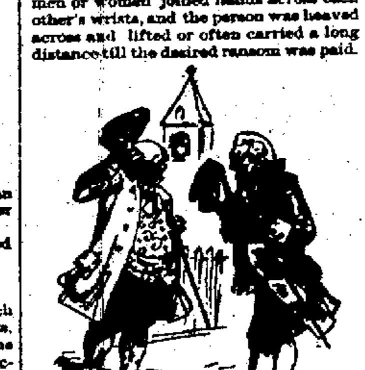
A wholly religious observance, as Easter now is, it did not originate with Christianity. It was one of the four season festivals, dedicated to spring, named for the Saxon goddess Eastre and devoted to invocations in behalf of vegetation and festivals of rejoicing for the rebirth of the year. The poetic suggestion was adopted by the Christians in the First century, and as early as 162 was the source of ecclesiastical controversy as to its true time and mode of celebration. The Passover, as a feature of the celebration, was the first bone of contention. The decision to ignore it was given at the great council of Nice in 325. Not till the Fourteenth century was the Easter date fixed by the edict of Pope Gregory XIII, and even then it continued a "movable feast."

The earliest Christians kept the Friday following the Passover date as a peculiarly solemn crucifixion fast or vigil, representing the lying in the tomb of our Lord, and celebrated the Resurrection on the following Sunday, after which the festival was treated in manners diverse as the tastes of man. Primitive Christians were accustomed to greet one another with the words, "Christ is risen today," bowing to the response, "Christ is risen indeed."

By our forefathers it was continued till two weeks after the day when the "Hocktide" pageant was held. This festival, in consequence of its riotous tendency, was suppressed by order of Queen Elizabeth.

"Lifting" or "heaving," "rope binding" and "Easter eggs" are among the Easter customs alike in time and country. So universal was the first that even kings and queens were not exempt from the humiliating conditions, and thousands of droll tales are extant of its effect upon grave dignitaries. Two men or women joined hands across each other's wrists, and the person was heaved across and lifted or often carried a long distance till the desired ransom was paid.



"HE IS RISEN INDEED."

Young [illegible] bore along the roads charming white chairs floating in flowers and ribbons, whereon pretty lasses were forced to sit, be lifted high as arms could reach and kissed freely on descent as ransom. Men were privileged to take off women's shoes also.

The celebration of Scriptural plays and "mystery" games, archery and ball playing were favorite Easter amusements. Even women engaged in Easter "football" in those days of feminine restriction. The celebrated "Pepper-gate elopement" is the story of the pretty daughter of a certain mayor, who, while busy with the sport, was borne off by her lover, while the unwilling parents-in-law were engaged in watching the game at the other end of the field.

Even clergymen played ball with the people on Eastertide for tansy cakes and puddings. (Tansy was largely used to signify the bitter herbs of the Paschal feast.) Bishops kicked Easter eggs over the commons with the boys and tossed the colored symbols among the choir youngsters in the church, after which bacon, which the Jews hated, was eaten. Clergymen also told funny stories in the pulpit to make the people laugh, to indicate the revival of merriment among them.

In Paris Jews were stoned through the streets and finally one of their number captured, borne to a church and beaten "for the deeds of his ancestors." Mohammedans slew animals in the streets, letting the blood flow through the gutters, in which men and women wallowed, working themselves into a perfect frenzy. In Ireland, among the better classes as well as the superstitious, it is the custom to rise betimes to see the "sun dance" (the shadow of the sun dancing in water).

Faith she dances such a way
Kossus on Easter day
Is half so fine a sight.

In England the Easter holiday is second in interest to Christmas. Schools and universities close, work ceases, courts adjourn, parliament rises. In Switzerland bands of Tyrolese musicians, with torches and guitars and flowers crowning their wide brimmed hats, traverse the country singing Easter carols, being rewarded by the tender courtesy of the villagers and the presentation of Paschal eggs bearing colored mottoes, landscapes, etc. In Japan the German Christmas customs are followed.

In all countries benevolence has been more or less associated with Eastertide. In Chester, England, exist the "Bread and Cheese lands," an endowment of several acres by two maiden ladies, twins, for the furnishing of provisions to the poor on Easter day, the image of the twins and memorial figures being inscribed on the cakes. In some parishes the clerk on Easter morn carries white cakes and hot cross buns as offerings to households, to be reimbursed by a small gratuity. In one county yearly fairs are held, giving criminals free shelter for one month of probation.

Rome is the center of all Easter magnificence. A description of the pontifical mass and pageantry, and the illumination of St. Peter's, would read like a royal fairy tale.

The dyeing and cracking of eggs has ever been universal. Even in Scotland, where pageantry is generally suppressed, boys spend the day in kicking, throwing, dyeing and eating the gayly hued ovoids.

A pretty legend of the Easter egg is as follows:

In a tree near the tomb which was chosen as the place where Christ should be laid a beautiful bird built a nest like a moss cup. Upon the day of the entombment it held four eggs of ivory white, upon which the bird with motherly faithfulness was sitting. Hearing the shuffling of feet and sounds of weeping in the narrow path beneath, startled, she hopped upon the edge of the nest, and peeping down saw the dear Lord in burial dress, with white, and face, and hands and feet cruelly pierced. whereupon she set forth a loud and [illegible] and all night long [illegible] a grief song like the weeping of lonely wind among fircial hills. But when the moon had risen and a glittering angel came and rolled away the stone, and Christ came forth in living luster from the cave's gloom, then the heart of

WHEREON PRETTY LASSES WERE FORCED TO SIT.

the bird was so filled with delight that she burst forth into a song of joy, that like spears of fire mounted and soared and shot up even to the gates of heaven. The angel, hearing both songs, blessed the sweet bird, saying that hereafter at Eastertide her eggs should be changed in hue to the most brilliant red and gold and blue to remind her of the Lord's recognition for her sweet sympathy.

FANNIE EDGAR THOMAS.

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ENGLISH GOOD FORM.

The Fresher and Freer Code Which Replaces the Old Social Etiquette.

In England, whether for good or evil, the old code of social etiquette is being superseded by a fresh one which has introduced important modifications. Some think the changes beneficial; others that they have done much to banish the courtesy and politeness which gave such added charm to the intercourse of well bred people, which greater latitude and freedom in host and guest do not replace satisfactorily.

Etiquette proper, as it was understood in the court of Louis XIV, has been transplanted into all others. It was a strict code, founded on reciprocal courtesy and reverence, but it has yielded to a less severe and authoritative one, which bears the name of good form. Good form is elastic, fluctuating, not immovable, but it is subtly imperious, and it expects society to conform to its unwritten rules. Some are of mushroom growth, others have had several years' experience, according to a writer in the New York Sun, who notes several dictates of modern English good form as follows:

The question of introducing guests to one another is vexing. Good form has, however, at present come to the conclusion that in society, being a large family, each member is presupposed to know the rest, while allowing that there may be, in those who meet socially, a few exceptions who are not acquainted personally with the others. At a large reception, where that circumstance cannot interfere with general comfort, there is no need for introductions, but at afternoon "at homes" and small dinner parties it is better to mention informally the names of all those present. A formal presentation implies the consent of both parties, who have been consulted previously. It is then the rule to present the younger and less distinguished person to the other. Both exchange cards within a limited period, the one introduced taking the initiative. Bachelors must leave cards with married people to whom they have been presented. A punctiliously polite man, and all of the ladies, leave cards where they have dined; the limit of a week is not now adhered to, any reasonable time being allowable. We are far now from the time when, according to old French tradition, the host used to call on his whilom guests in the three following days "to thank them for having taken the trouble of coming to him."

"Good form" exacts a written answer to a dinner invitation, and the reply must not be delayed under penalty of appearing inconsiderate to the hostess. Printed invitations to receptions may be left unanswered or acknowledged by leaving cards.

STORY. OF A WALK.

In Which Figures a Small Girl and Boy and a Large Umbrella.

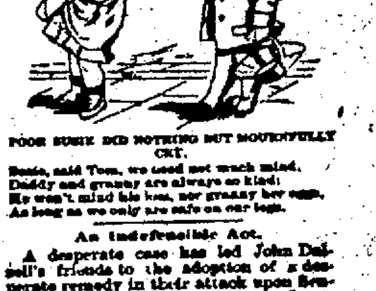
Said Tommy to Susie, do come for a walk,
Pay granny a visit, and have a nice talk;
A basket of eggs to her we can take,
And mammy has also made her a cake.

THE WIND ROSE UP AND BANGED THEM ABOUT.

They had not set out very far on the way,
Hoping to have a really fine day,
When down the rain came like a waterspout,
The wind rose up and banged them about.

To hold the umbrella hard they did try,
When a great gust of wind hurled it up to the sky.
Little Tommy fell back with a bump and a bound,
And all the fresh eggs dropped onto the ground.

Tom picked himself up and rubbed his coat dry,
Poor Susie did nothing but mournfully cry,
Oh, what shall we do! what will daddy say,
When he hears his umbrella has blown right away?



POOR SUSIE DID NOTHING BUT MOURNFULLY CRY.

Susie, said Tom, we need not much mind,
Daddy and granny are always so kind;
He won't mind his loss, nor granny her eggs,
As long as we only are safe on our legs.

An Indefensible Act.

A desperate case has led John Dalzell's friends to the adoption of a desperate remedy in their attack upon Senator Quay's record as a soldier. In attacking this record the Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Dalzell organ attacks the war department and the government, he attacks all the brave men who have won the medal of honor for special bravery in action, he attacks the official records, memories of the 6,000 dead Union soldiers whose bodies were piled up under the stone wall at Fredericksburg, and he attacks the spirit which led nearly 2,000,000 soldiers to volunteer to fight for the American union.

Such an attack, inspired by malice and madness, and buttressed by a profound ignorance of the period and a dense blindness to the value of all that every soldier and every true man sets store by, will, of course, be turned against the person in whose behalf it has been made by the hundreds of thousands of veterans of the war who are still living in Pennsylvania. The slander of a brave man who has never posed as a soldier and never used his soldier's laurels to attract the plaudits of the multitude appeared, as the Morey slander appeared, at the last hour before an important election.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce Hon. C. W. Stone, of Warren county, as a candidate for Congress in the 27th Congressional District subject to the decision of the District convention of the Republican party

NATIONAL DELEGATE.

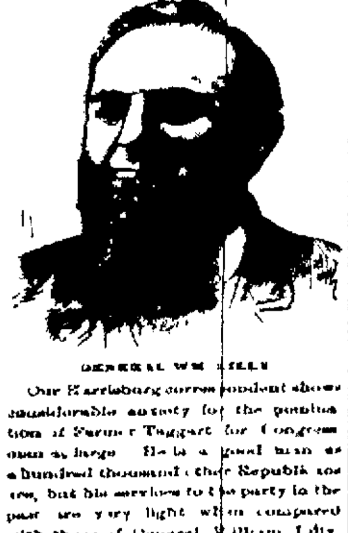
Chas. H. Simpson Esq., [illegible] candidate for delegate to the National Republican Convention at [illegible], subject to the usages of the Republican party

Editor Miner—Kindly announce to the Republican voters of McKean [illegible] that I am a candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention subject to their will as expressed at the primaries.

W W BROWN

Bradford Pa., March 15, 1892

We are authorized to announce that Hon. Lewis Emery Jr. of Bradford is a candidate for delegate to the Republican National Convention from the 27th Congressional district subject to the decision of the Congressional conference.



GENERAL WM LILLY

Our Harrisburg correspondent shows considerable anxiety for the nomination of Farmer Taggart for Congressman at large. He is a good man as a hundred thousand other Republicans, but his services to the party in the past are very light when compared with those of General William Lilly. We have personal knowledge of the invaluable services rendered the Republican party for the past quarter of a century by the latter gentleman and there is no man in the State more deserving of recognition by the party than General Lilly. We hope to see him nominated

GEO W CAMPBELL Esq of Wetmore township was unanimously recommended as one of the alternates to the Republican National Convention He is every way worthy of the honor

Messrs Hawkins and Gallup who will represent this county in the State Convention next Wednesday are two of the County's most substantial citizens. A more creditable representation could not be named from among the Republican people

HON C W STONE has made a most enviable record as a member of Congress. In the few sessions he has served this district he has acquired an influence second to but few of the oldest members. It was altogether fitting for the Republican convention of this county to unanimously endorse his candidacy for renomination. He is every way deserving of the endorsement

A PROMINENT Republican writes us from Bradford to show up the infamy of Democrats voting at Republican primaries. If that kind of business was [illegible] at the primaries in Bradford [illegible] that [illegible] should [illegible] that the election board [illegible] who permitted Democrats to vote are punished. If this [illegible] the matter [illegible] in that city. This is the business of Bradford Republicans [illegible]

HON W W BROWN who was elected as one of the National delegates by the Republican County Convention on Tuesday last will be endorsed at the district convention as he has already received the endorsement of the counties of Cameron and Venango. Mr Brown is one of the best known and most capable men of McKean County. He represented the old district of McKean, Cameron, Lycoming, Potter and Tioga in Congress two terms in which position he acquitted himself with great credit. He will not disappoint the Republicans of the 27th district at Minneapolis.

THERE have been few Conventions held in McKean County in which the interest as to the result was more intense than the one held in the Court House on Tuesday last. Never was greater effort put forth to capture a convention and it is gratifying to be able to state that all the influence brought to bear proved futile in swerving delegates from their instructions [illegible] The delegates from one of the Corydon precincts voted for Mr Emery but on the credentials on which they secured their seats in the convention were written the words "these delegates are instructed to vote for Mr Brown." They violated their instructions and their constituents should see to it that they never have another opportunity to misrepresent them

SENATOR QUAY has carried every county in the State for U S Senator where Republicans have had a chance to vote directly on that question. It is one of the most remarkable endorsements ever given a public man in this country. The great Republican counties of Lancaster, Erie, Crawford, Butler and Mercer voted for Senator last week, and in every county the vote was overwhelmingly in favor of Mr Quay. In Lancaster county he had 7500 more votes than Dalzell. Another striking feature of these elections is that the Senator is relatively strongest in the rural districts. It is very evident that the great mass of Republican voters take no stock in the efforts of the N. Y. World and other democratic and mugwump papers, in their efforts to crush the great Republican leader.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

In pursuance to the call of Chairman North, the Republican County Convention, for the selection of delegates the State Convention, the naming of McKean county's choice for a delegate to the National Convention, and a candidate for Congress in the 27th district, convened at the court house in this place on Tuesday of this week at 2 o'clock, p. m.

Before proceeding to the business of the convention Chairman North presented to each of the boroughs of Kane and Smethport a beautiful silk flag for having given at the election last fall the largest Republican majority over the majority given for the presidential ticket in 1888. The contest between the two places was very close and was finally submitted to arbitrators who decided that each borough was entitled to the honor. A second flag was ordered by Chairman North which reached Smethport on the evening of the convention

Mr North made an eloquent speech in presenting the flags, but its length precludes its publication in these columns. Geo Griffith Esq. a Kane veteran of the Grand Army made a most creditable and touching response for that borough. He spoke feelingly of his service under that flag which started the tears in many old veterans eyes in the large assemblage present. Sheridan Gorton Esq. responded for Smethport borough in his happiest vein. Following are his remarks, which were enthusiastically received

Mr Chairman, and members of the Convention here assembled

In accepting for the Republican electors of the borough of Smethport as a reward of true zeal and patriotism this glorious and brilliant flag that for almost a century and a quarter has been the pride and boast of every true American I do it, not with a feeling of modesty for honors conferred with but just recompense but with the thought that it is well deserved and duly earned. When, fifteen years ago, I had the honor of becoming a citizen of this borough the factions contending in its political arena were nearly balanced. Since that time true Republicanism within its precincts has gone forward and step by step we have given advanced majorities, until in 1891 we presented to you a lead of half an hundred. The past has shown to all that in the great affairs of State and Nation the Republican voters of this borough are to be trusted. The principles which have sustained our party's honor and helped it to its present greatness, have in their hands, been fairly treated. With this encouragement for that done in the past we cannot well desist from further effort. To others may come higher honors but from none will come more true allegiance.

We thank you for it. Upon its azure field our sons shall gaze with homage up to its golden stars our daughters look with reverence its pearly stripes and crimson bars our wives and mothers view with fond remembrance

And thou beauteous banner thou emblematic ensign of Union Liberty Equality may you be carried ever on by strong hands and willing hearts. May success ever perch upon your standard. And in every spot upon the habitable globe where reaches the influence of the glorious king of day may thy graceful folds be stirred by the passing breezes

At the close of the flag presentation Chairman North called upon C W [illegible] a delegate from Port Allegany to act as secretary and proceeded to call the roll of precincts when the following named delegates responded by presenting credentials

Annin, J. S. Hodges M. [illegible]
Bradford 1st Ward 1st Dist [illegible]
Bradford 1st Ward [illegible]
Bradford 2d Ward [illegible]
Bradford 3d Ward M [illegible]
Bradford 4th Ward J. W. [illegible]
Bradford 5th Ward M. [illegible] Daniel Armstrong
Bradford Twp 1st Dist E. A. Bryant, B. L. [illegible]
Bradford Twp 2d Dist [illegible] W. H. Emery
Ceres J. A. Kaufman, L. W. Wells
[illegible]
Kane 1st Ward [illegible] W. P. Smith
2d [illegible] A. Peterson
3d M. McKay, John Wengley
Lafayette 1st Dist John Green, W. D. Mory
2d Dist W. D. Parker, E. M. [illegible]
Lafayette 3d Dist Theodore Johnson, I. M. [illegible]
[illegible]
Port Allegany [illegible] W. F. Curtis
Smethport [illegible] Armstrong, W. F. Specht
Wetmore Wm. W. Dixon, Geo. W. Campbell

L. Rogers of Smethport borough presented a substitution from W F Specht a delegate elected from said borough whereupon Mr Rogers was admitted as a delegate

A few protests were offered against certain delegates being allowed seats in the convention, but by a very decided vote those who held regular credentials were permitted to take part in the organization of the convention

The members of the press were elected secretaries of the convention. Messrs Harbour of the *Star* and Jones of the *Record* acting as tellers.

Chairman North then announced that nominations for president of the convention were in order when W A Terrell of Bradford and L. Rogers of Smethport were placed in nomination. The list of delegates were called which resulted in 33 votes being cast for Rogers and 37 for Terrell

Mr Rogers took the chair after thanking the convention for the honor conferred upon him. The secretaries who served with the chairman were continued in the regular organization.

A resolution offered by delegate Nelly of Hamilton, that the rules governing the Senate of Pennsylvania be adopted as the rules governing this convention, was unanimously adopted

Mr Comfort, of Kendall, offered the following resolution which was unanimously adopted

Resolved That this convention endorse the candidacy of Hon C W Stone as member of Congress from this district and that he be allowed the privilege of choosing his own conferees and that the rules be suspended and he be elected viva voce

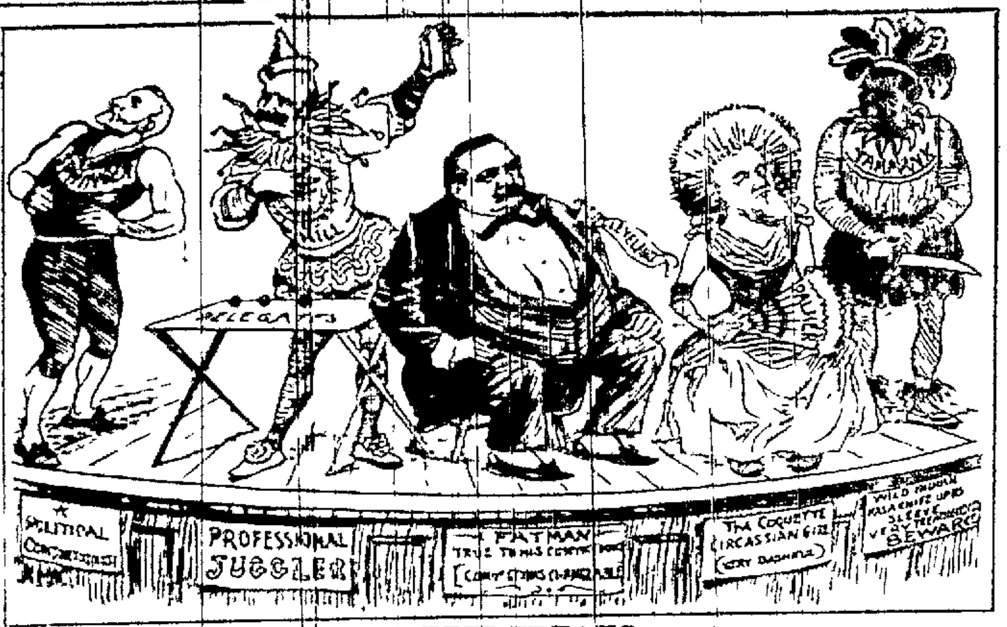
The chairman announced that nominations for delegate to the National Convention were in order whereupon Robert Edgett, of Bradford, nominated Hon. Lewis Emery, Jr. and Harry Nelly, of Hamilton, nominated Hon. W W Brown. The roll was called and resulted in 33 votes for Brown and 37 for Emery. Upon the announcement of the result the cheering was tremendous.

The following resolution, offered by Mr. Perkins of Kane, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved That the conferees appointed by the Hon C W Stone for this county be and they are hereby instructed to vote in the Congressional conference of this the 27th district, for the Hon W W Brown for delegate to the National Convention

George W Campbell, of Kane, was unanimously recommended as alternate to the Republican National Convention

A C Hawkins of Bradford, W W Moffitt, of Kane, and W D Gallup of Smethport, were nominated delegates to the State Convention. Major Hawkins received 54 votes, W D Gallup 43 and W W Moffitt 27. Messrs Hawkins and Gallup having received the highest number of votes were declared the delegates. On motion the vote for these gentlemen was made unanimous. The Convention then adjourned sine die



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PROFESSIONAL JUGGLER
FATMAN TRUE TO HIS CONVICTIONS
CONVICTIONS CHANGED
THE COQUETTE CIRCASSIAN GIRL (VERY DASHING)
WILD INDIAN HAS A KNIFE UP HIS SLEEVE VERY BEWARE

A FEW FREAKS

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

From our own correspondent.

HARRISBURG April 11th 1892

A very great many political texts are found in the examples that have been given the State recently in the utter disregard of all the rules of decency by the Bourbons. The party spoils has gone back to the days of Old Hickory and the Boss carries inscribed on his banner at the head of his procession "to the victor belongs the spoils" and doomed be the unwilling subject who dares to rebel at my orders.

Boss Harrity has ruled the democracy of the State with the absolute sway of a dictator and has rewarded his willing slaves who did his bidding and has relentlessly punished the unwilling ones. This course has turned upon him and it now looks as if the career of the Boss was on the point of being cut short. For among the few of the unterrified who are the avant couriers of the Democratic State Convention which will meet at Harrisburg on Wednesday next there are mutterings growing and dire threats of vengeance that indicate considerable fun when the unterrified get together in the Convention

Harrity has used the party in this State for his own purposes and in his own way for so long a time that he now dares to crush the rebellious democrat who presumes to oppose him. His course has made it necessary for the old wheel horses to rebel and this rebellion has grown to such proportions that Harrity [illegible] great [illegible] so those of the Boss followers who are already here for Wednesday's Convention admit that Harrity has stretched the rope a little too tight and there is great fear of a reaction. He has made every arrangement to capture the delegates as they arrive in the city and to corral them through the hen house and [illegible] and land them in a private interview with the Throne or with himself at his headquarters at the Commonwealth Hotel but [illegible] saying [illegible] anti Harrity men are wide awake and in many cases the Boss will receive an effectual checkmate and the result in the Convention may be that Harrity will get his tail feathers plucked.

With the Convention however two days away it is difficult to predict what the outcome may be as there are so many moves now taking place on the political checker board

The following couplet may be the explanation

> Alas what a rarity
> Was a man Harrity
> Before the Convention got down to his work
> When so little charity
> Was shown this man Harrity
> And his career was cut short with a jerk

We of course might make predictions as to results, but with so few of the delegates present and only rumors to be guided by it would be useless to venture further than to say that the revolt and opposition to Harrity and Harrity's methods is much more formidable than is generally believed and under good generalship the overthrow of the Boss may be accomplished

Mr W A Wallace was in town a few days ago and had little to say on matters political. He pleaded business of a personal nature as the occasion of his visit, but the democracy of the State is all broken up over a dispatch sent to the Philadelphia *Record* from Harrisburg to the effect that Mr Wallace regards Pattison as the most available candidate for the democracy to nominate for President at Chicago. This has, of course, upset the democracy wonderfully. But the true inwardness of this new move on the part of Mr Wallace is only a feeler. It is full of significance, and means that the Clearfield county Statesman sees the distractions in the party and the disastrous breaks in the democratic ranks and to save the party from complete annihilation, he proposes to step in, take the reins and drive the cart and compel a compromise, which may dispose of Mr Boss Harrity and rob him of his power and reunite the democracy. Senator Wallace is playing a deep game and he proposes to use his great influence in reuniting the party and it is predicted that he will lead the democratic forces at next Wednesday's Convention.

The final outcome will only be known when the Convention has rejected or ratified the good propositions that Mr Wallace has to offer to reunite the now discordant and distracted elements in the party but it is, I think safe to predict that Harrity will rebel at the new leadership and it remains to be seen whether Pattison will call his man Harrity off and permit Wallace to lead. There is fun galore ahead for the democratic hosts who will gather in the opera house next Wednesday.

The Republican Convention will meet in Harrisburg on the 20th of the month and the indications are that there will be a very harmonious gathering

From republican politicians who have occasionally dropped into our city the news from various sections of the State is gathered

For Judge of the Supreme Court, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice Clark, Judge Dean of Blair county is supposed to be in the lead but Judge White of Indiana county and Judge Sadler of Cumberland county have many friends who will make a sharp fight for their favorites.

For Congressmen at Large the nominees will come from the country and Colonel Alexander McDowell of Mercer county would get the place for the western part of the State and that Farmer Taggart of Montgomery county will be the nominee from the east. Farmer Taggart will represent the farmer element of the Husbandry element in the republican party and will [illegible] very strong [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] quarters at The Lochiel and will be in attendance on the Convention as will be all the old wheel horses of the party.

AUGUST

THANKS

EDITOR MINER, I desire through the columns of your paper to express my profound gratitude for the [illegible] and [illegible] the Republicans of the southern and eastern [illegible] of the county

Yours Truly

W. W. BROWN

LITERARY NOTES.

A [illegible] AT TEST OF [illegible] NATIONAL INTEGRITY

[illegible] was solemnly and impressively [illegible] the President of the United States was [illegible] The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court [illegible] deliberations of [illegible]

[illegible] usual accompaniments of pure [illegible] of royalty [illegible] which are considered necessary under aristocratic forms to properly impress the people with the dignity and gravity of a great occasion. [illegible] these were necessary [illegible] every spectator was an intensely interested witness of the proceedings, who must bear each for himself the consequences of the verdict whatever they might be equally with every member of the Court.

[illegible] Andrew Johnson were clearly proven guilty and disgracefully removed as [illegible] the acquittal [illegible] consistency and endurance in our political being which would be the wonder of all nations. If acquitted by a non partisan vote, for no other could acquit him as the Senate was then constituted, America would pass the danger point of partisan rule and that license which so often characterizes the sway of great majorities and makes them dangerous. From "The Historic Moments Series" "The Impeachment Trial," by ex Senator Edmund G. Ross of Kansas in April Scribner.

[illegible] Saved.

From a letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd of Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am now a well and hearty woman." Trial bottles free at E. Foster's Drug Store, regular size, 50c and $1.00

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EMMA J SPRAGUE
Administratrix

A Fatal Mistake

Physicians make no more fatal mistake than when they inform patients that nervous heart troubles come from the stomach and are of little consequence. Dr. Franklin Miles the noted Indiana specialist, has proven the contrary in his new book on "Heart Disease" which may be had free at A. B. Armstrong's, who guarantees and recommends Dr. Miles' unequaled new heart cure, which has the largest sale of any heart remedy in the world. It cures nervous and organic heart disease, short breath, fluttering, pain or tenderness in the side, arm or shoulder, irregular pulse, fainting, smothering, dropsy, etc. His Restorative Nervine cures headache, fits, etc.

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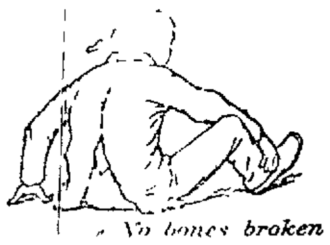

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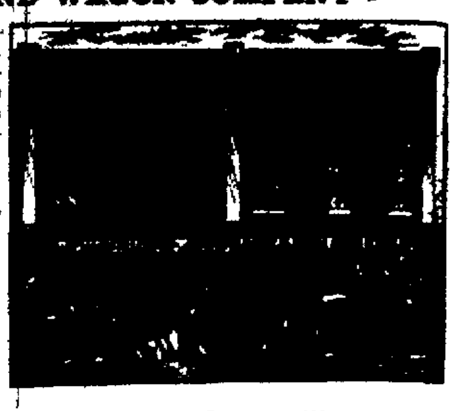

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Application to Transfer License.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Court of Quarter Sessions of McKean County on Monday, April 18, 1892, to transfer the license issued to George Walker, to keep a hotel at the Centennial House on the east side of Fraley street, in the second ward, in the borough of Kane, in said county on May 18, 1891. The name of the party to whom it is desired to have such license transferred is M P Coffman. His residence and occupation is that of a hotel keeper at the Forest House, at Marienville, Forest county Pa., which is also his place of residence.

A. P. HUEY Atty for Transferee

Dated Kane, Pa., March 26, 1892.

McKean County Miner

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The MINER and *Demorest Family Magazine* for $3.10.

The MINER and *National Tribune*, for $1.60.

The MINER and *Home Market Bulletin* for $1 50.

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Smethport, Pa., April 15, 1892.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

NOTICE.

F. P. Slocum is our authorized agent in the city of Bradford to contract for advertising and job work and receive subscriptions for the MINER.

F. W. Moore, Sr., is the authorized agent of the MINER in Kane borough and the townships of Wetmore, Hamilton and Hamlin. He is authorized to receive subscriptions and contract for advertising and job work.

L. ROGERS AND SON,
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—Good Friday.

—Oysters are fallow.

—Easter next Sunday.

—Smethport is Republican with a big R.

—The soap-bubble party is the correct thing.

—Now get your license applications ready.

—Styles of the present season favor tall, slender women.

—The correct political color in McKean County is brown.

—Light muslins will be popular with the summer girl.

—A new shaped envelope is sealed with the postage stamp.

—April 15, and you may legally catch the speckled beauties.

—The tailor made girl will be omnipresent next Sunday.

—Western blizzards are blizzardly bores this time of year.

—A civil term of court will be held next week, commencing on Monday.

Supt. C. S. King is the shrewdest arbitrator for banners around these diggings.

A hasty relaxation from all lenten restraints after Easter is most unbecoming.

—Weather prophets predict a warm April and a drouth during May and June.

It is a rattling good time just now to start a manufacturing scheme to boom Smethport.

—The penal institutions of all kinds in this country are supported at an annual expense of $15,000,000.

—The Republican caucus on Saturday evening last was the largest ever held in Smethport, 121 votes being cast.

—Three terrible diseases now stare married men in the face—spring fever, spring bonnets and spring house cleaning.

—A Wellsville man shot four large swans recently on the Genesee river at that place. They are not often found in these parts.

—The Philadelphia courts have decided against the Prohibitionists in the effort to have the new ballot law declared unconstitutional.

—Rev. E. M. Snodgrass, of Eldred, occupied the pulpit at the M. E. Church Sunday, morning and evening, preaching to large congregations.

—Anybody can float with the current but it takes muscle and pluck to row against the ripple of life, pertinently remarks the Bolivar *Breeze*.

—Sam McClure, whose home was destroyed by fire last fall has the frame up and enclosed for a fine residence on the site of the burned residence.

—At the Baptist Church next Sunday morning the subject of discourse will be "A Call for Troops," for the evening discourse "Man or Monkey, Which?"

—The necktie social at the residence of Mrs. Anna Dunbar, on lower Main street, given by the E. A. U., on Thursday night last was a grand success.

—It has been definitely decided to burn crude oil to run the powerplant at the World's Fair. It is estimated that about 250,000 barrels will be consumed.

—The rumor that the Pennsylvania railroad company is trying to buy the B. R. & P., is emphatically denied by Bell, Lewis & Yates, who own a controlling interest in the road.

—The postage stamp is fifty-two years old the 6th of next month. Will the people who lick stamps on that day remember the fact, and also that its age entitles it to better treatment.

—The parishoners of Port Allegany Episcopal Church have raised 500 dollars toward paying the salary of a permanent Rector. Services at present are held monthly, Rev. Kalkes, of Emporium, officiating.

—Hon. S. A. Backus, had a paralytic stroke in his right side on Monday of this week, at his home on lower Main Street. He is in a critical condition but resting comfortably as we go to press, Thursday afternoon.

—After enjoying a few days of spring ethereal mildness, old winter got in his work on Sunday last and on Monday the thermometer had dropped about 30 degrees and all nature was clothed in a robe of white.

—According to an exchange, the cocoanut trees of Florida are due to nuts washed ashore from a wrecked vessel sixteen years ago. Now the state furnishes nearly all the cocoanuts used in the United States.

—The Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, I. W. Trouchard, has issued a proclamation calling on all lodges to appropriately celebrate the seventy third anniversary of Odd Fellowship on April 26th.

—A Clearfield editor, and a married man at that, in announcing the granting of marriage licenses places them under the caption: "Mistaken Souls Who Dream of Bliss." It might be well for his wife to make him dream of blister.

—Some of our life long secret society men who have been in the habit of going to lodge two or three evenings a week are now enter into full appreciation of secret society advantages by staying at home and tending babies while the wife goes to lodge and enjoys the initiation.

—Happiness is contentment; contentment is a clear conscience and a well employed mind and body.

—This is anglers day. The festive speckled beauty can now be legally tempted. From blank external appearances, the presumption is that Mr. Trout will look at the worm for some time, through telescope spectacles.

—An ingenious instrument called gartephone has recently been invented, which, attached to a lady's garter, registers the distance she walks each day. The physical culture craze has put an end to the reign of the languid belle.

—Of all the dangerous, dilapidated sidewalks we have ever encountered that from McCoy's corners to the Potato creek bridge is the worst. If the borough is not called upon to pay big damages we miss our guess. The remedy should be applied at once, and while you are about it, gentlemen of the council, would it not be a wise move to make the sidewalk full width.

—East Smethport is cursed with a gang of loafers who infest the station platform and make night hideous with their drunken carousals. The residents of that section have determined to abate the nuisance, and to this end have taken steps to have the parties placed under restraint. It is a pity that such things are permitted to exist, and a little shotgun persuasion would not come amiss.

—Our high constable, S M. Hill, is already making a reputation for himself as an officer. On Saturday last he went to Ormsby to serve a warrant, issued at the instigation of T. McMurty, on Wm. Smith, for assault with intent to kill. Smith was disposed to be ugly, but Sam soon convinced him that it was no use, and brought him to Smethport, and after a hearing he was committed to jail in default of $300 bail.

—An exchange says a San Francisco surgeon cut a man's chest open the other day and put an electric-light inside in order to watch the workings of his heart and lungs. Great is modern surgery! In keeping with this is another to the effect that a New York doctor has hit upon a plan for eradicating crime. He proposes to take out of the heads of criminals the particular part of the brain which incites to crime. As a race we are bound to get to the front.

Keep your eye on the sun. The vigilant watchers of the Rochester *Democrat* say that half of the sun's eastern quadrant was in a state of turmoil when the severe storms visited the West during the latter part of last week. The faculae were undoubtedly the most potent in producing the storm action and ultimately heat. This region of the sun will return by rotation about April the 25th. Don't put away your winter overcoat in newspapers and camphor-balls quite yet.

—Attention is called to the advertisement of R. W. Bloodsworth & Co., in another column. Mr. Bloodsworth is too well known to the people of this section to need any introduction from us, and those who do know him will bear us out in the statement that every promise made by him will be strictly adhered to, and every announcement made in the way of business bears the impress of truth. We can heartily recommend Messrs. Bloodsworth & Co., to the public as reliable business men in every sense of the word.

—Mrs. Philinda North, of Ceres township, died at the Freeman sanitarium on Saturday evening last of inanition, aged 57 years. Mrs. North has been for months suffering from a cancer in the throat and for the past four weeks at least has been unable to take any nourishment. She was a woman universally respected, being a good mother, a kind neighbor, and faithful christian. The remains were taken to Ceres township for interment accompanied by the mourning relatives, a husband and one daughter, Mrs. William Bennett, of this place.

March's meteorological record is the third lowest in temperature in eighteen years. Its precipitation of rain and snow was 1.17 in excess of the normal, and almost overcome the deficiency of our mild and rather dry winter. Even with this rather tardy and sharp outburst of Winter we enter upon the Spring with another mild season to add to the list of three that have preceded it—the Winters of '89, '90 and '91. If our mild Winters are to become permanent factors with March as an interregnum of unpleasant and stormy weather, we will have lost more than gained by the variation in climate.—*Ex.*

—A Chicago carpenter recently fell heir to $1,000,000 and a baronetcy by the death of his grandfather in England. Just before his good fortune he had taken a civil-service examination and made application for a position as postman. Now the postoffice authorities have discovered that he passed the examination with credit and, being also an old soldier, he can have the place if he wants it. Probably he won't take it, but he should be a proud man for all of that. Not every English baronet knows enough to be an American postman.

—The Lecture at the Baptist Church, "From the Cradle to the Grogshop," by Rev Orlo Jeffrey, pastor, was largely attended Sunday night last and was listened to with marked attention throughout. It was a masterly effort and as such was appreciated by all. Mrs. Jeffrey rendered during the evening three appropriate recitations. She is a lady of fine elocutionary attainments. The members of the Baptist Church and the people of Smethport are to be congratulated upon the securing of Mr. Jeffrey and his estimable wife as residents among them.

—Some of the revelations of the census will startle a good many people. For instance there are more than half a million almond trees actually bearing in the United States; there are hundreds of bearing cocoanut trees; there are more than a quarter of a million olive trees, producing fruit equal to the best Mediterranean varieties. There are more than half a million bearing banana plants, 200,000 bearing lemon trees, 4,000,000 orange trees, and 21,000,000 pine apples. And the value of tropical and semi-tropical fruits grown under the American flag is nearly $20,000,000.

—Lime as a disinfectant is a purifier and a beautifier which cannot be too liberally scattered over the ground of a town residence, spread in cellars and at the base of foundations and in all parts of a basement where mould and decay have produced unwholesome conditions. The housekeeper who does not feel the need of using lime on fences, trunks of trees, the spot where a slop barrel stands, or cesspool openings, has but a feeble appreciation of the uses to which the material can be applied. Lime serves a purpose and accomplishes results of the highest benefit on all portions of the premises of a homestead, and people who neglect to use it in the manner profusely in the spring, deprive themselves of a cheap benefit of great value.

—Mr. Peckham, the Bradford pugilist, was in town a couple of days this week with a view of organizing a class in boxing.

—At the Presidential election 100 years ago 135 votes were cast. Virginia led in the number of electors, having 21, and Massachusetts followed with 16, while Pennsylvania had 15, New York and North Carolina had 12 each, and Maryland 10. The number of electors this year is 442.

—John McNulty, who was found at the side of the W. N. Y. & P. R. R. tracks, unconscious, and with his arm broken and other serious injuries on the morning of February 8th, mention being made in the MINER at the time, died at Clermont on Saturday afternoon last. Mr. McNulty is said to have been an honest, industrious man and the accident at that time was not the cause of negligence on his part. Fears were expressed at that time owing to his age (being between 60 and 70 years of age) that it would prove fatal. On Friday last contrary to the advice of physicians, he came to Smethport and that night was in a critical condition which terminated in death as above stated.

—Yesterday was Arbor Day in some sections of the State, but in this locality it will be observed on the second day named by Governor Pattison, namely the 6th of May. The Governor in his proclamation calls upon the people of the State to plant a forest, fruit or ornamental tree along the public highways and streams, in private and public parks, about the public school house and college grounds, in gardens and on the farms, thus promoting the pleasure, profit and prosperity of the people of the State, providing protection against floods and storms, securing health and comfort, increasing that which is beautiful and pleasing to the eye, comforting to the ideal life and elevating to the mind and heart.

PERSONAL MENTION.

We would deem it a favor if those having friends visiting in this place would notify us by postal or by leaving a note at this office.

P. Wilder, of Devil's City, was about town Saturday.

E. E. Tate, of Bradford, was in town on Saturday last.

Mrs. M. B. Greer is visiting friends in Buffalo this week.

Ed McCoy and wife of Mt Jewett, were in town a few hours on Monday.

A. L. Hills, of Norwich, was the guest of his brother, S. M. Hills, on Monday.

R. A. Rice and Miss Adda Rice, of Eldred, were at the county seat on Monday.

J. J. Newman, of Buffalo, the hustling lumberman was in town several days last week.

Misses Addie Walters, Joe Butler and Emma Herzog spent the Sabbath at Colegrove.

M. Dunn, of Sweden Valley, was circulating about town last week, greeting his many friends.

Mat Snyder, one of Port Allegany's pushing lumbermen, was at the county seat on Saturday last.

H. H. North, of Bradford, was in town on Saturday. Mr. North is a candidate for Legislative honors, and has many friends in Smethport who hope to see him get there.

S. W. McNett of Titusville was in Smethport Wednesday. He informs us that he will start an undertaking and embalming establishment here. His goods will arrive next week.

P. C. Foley, of the firm of Foley Brothers, of the well known Olean marble and granite works was in town on Saturday last. Contrary to his usual custom Pete did not call at the MINER office.

C. E. McMichael, of the reportorial staff of the Buffalo *Times*, was in town on Friday last and paid the MINER office a pleasant call. Mr. McMichael is a catchy writer, a hustling young business man and withal a gentleman whom it is a pleasure to meet.

John Hungerford, of Smethport, Pa., is visiting relatives in town. Mr. Hungerford is so favorably impressed with Johnsonburg that, should he find suitable work or a good business opening he may remain; and he is the sort of a citizen we need to help build up the town, we hope he may.—*Johnsonburg Breeze.*

The Clarion *Breeze* says this of a former Smethport boy: Joe McCarty who has been in charge of the stone and brick [illegible] department of the New York and Penn'a Company in the Clarion Mills in this place for a year past, resigned his position April 1st. Mr McCarty is a first class mechanic, and his efficiency and faithfulness in his work has been and is highly appreciated by the company.

Wanted.

A young man from 18 to 22 with some experience in the dry goods business. Apply by letter giving experience and salary wanted to Geo. R. Adams & Co, Olean N. Y.

St. Luke's Church.

EASTER SERVICES.

The services on next Sunday (Easter day) will be at 8 a. m., at 10 and 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Hyre's Communion Service will be sung at the 10:30 a. m. service, and Clare's Anthem, "He is Risen."

Choral Evensong at 7:30 p. m. and the children's offering for missions.

GOOD FRIDAY.

There will be Morning Prayer and Altar Service at 9 o'clock. From 12 M. to 3 P. M. there will be the "Preaching of the Cross," meditations on the Seven Sayings from the Cross, with prayers and hymns on the Passion. People are asked to come in and stay for a part of this service, or as long as they can. Anyone can retire at the singing of one of the hymns. The Children's Service on Good Friday will be at 4 p. m. People are asked to gather the children together for the important service for them. Service on Easter Even (Saturday) at 7:30 p. m. and at 9 o'clock in the morning.

Obituary.

Mrs. D. M. Cooper, died at the home of her parents John and Mary Dean, near Smethport Tuesday April 5th, aged 27 years. Mrs. Cooper who was an estimable Christian woman leaves a husband and three children who with many friends will mourn her death. The funeral was held at the house Thursday, Rev. Orlo Jeffry officiating.

Lost.

A journal of the proceedings of the County E. A. U. was lost somewhere in this place on Tuesday last. The owner of these papers is of the opinion that he dropped them in the court house. Any one finding them will confer a great favor by leaving them at the MINER office.

Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. Most people need to use it.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once.

THE COUNTY.

Interesting News From Various Localities Picked up by Our Regular Correspondents

KANE.

J. A. McDonald and wife are in Florida.

Esther Live[illegible] in Kane last week for [illegible].

Rev. George Winkler went to Clarion on Monday.

Did you gather a little snow for sore eyes and [illegible]

E. L. Keerel was in Kane on Saturday, between trains.

Ed. James, of Kenova, spent Friday and Saturday in Kane.

Wm. [illegible] came in from the Elk county oil field on Monday.

Tuesday was a lively day, none were happier than our sugar makers.

A. Rylander has his new residence on Fletcher street nearly completed.

[illegible]

John Teasdale, of Portville, N. Y., spent a week with his father and brother in Kane.

[illegible] has about concluded to [illegible] on [illegible] street.

[illegible]

John Leonard, who assaulted Nels Perkins a week ago, was arrested and gave bail for his appearance at court.

[illegible]

The freight wreck near Wilcox on the P. & E., was a big one, twenty-five cars reduced to kindling wood, no one hurt.

[illegible]

The several churches in Kane will be tastefully and beautifully decorated on Easter Sunday. [illegible]

[illegible]

PORT ALLEGANY.

[illegible]

Robert Graber has moved over to [illegible]

[illegible]

ELDRED.

[illegible]

Mrs. [illegible] of Johnsonburg, visited in town this week, the guest of Mrs. [illegible]

Miss Fannie Waisman returned last week from an extended visit among friends in Bath N. Y.

[illegible]

The dancers of Eldred gave a warm sugar social [illegible] Friday evening, and realized a neat round sum.

[illegible]

The caucuses held in the borough and town at this place were largely attended, and both factions were very enthusiastic for their respective candidates. A great deal of wire-pulling has been indulged in for the last few days, which wound up Saturday night after caucus in rather an unpleasant scene between certain [illegible] in which fists and cow-hides were freely used. But the disturbance [illegible] and when the three [illegible] sold as usual [illegible] gave majorities for Hon. W. W. Brown.

KENDALL CREEK.

Mrs. Kate Warner is ill at her home on Main st.

Mrs. Hattie Morrison visited friends in Sawyer last week.

Arthur Denman returned home from New [illegible] Saturday last.

Mrs. J. Brandiman who has been quite ill at her home on Main street is convalescent.

Rev. J. H. Acton, who has been absent for some time on business, is again at his post.

Supt. W. T. Kekes, of Smethport, passed through Kendall on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Clara Wildman who has been absent on a visit to friends in Norwich City, has returned home.

Twice more, after long [illegible] and heart rending catastrophes, the North side bridge is completed.

H. F. McKinney, who has been absent for the past few months in the west, returned from Dexter last week.

C. H. McKinney and family were in Allentown last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. McKinney's father, John Brandon.

A Leap Year party will be given by the young ladies of Kendall to their gentlemen friends, at the opera house on April 26. This is to be the affair of the season.

A former highly esteemed resident of this place, Mrs. Patrick Sheehan, mother of the [illegible] died at her home in Butler, [illegible] the funeral took place Thursday.

CERES.

Mrs. C. A. Warner is on the sick list.

Mrs. K. Simmons visited in Allentown Thursday.

James Parsons spent Sunday with his family in Olean.

Miss Dottie Warner passed Sunday with friends in Olean.

T. H. Washburn and family visited friends at Melvin Saturday.

Mrs. T. M. Van Warmer and Miss Jennie started to Olean Monday.

V. Fierce Carver of Duke Centre Pa., was in town on business Thursday.

Clarence Warner and wife, of Portville, N. Y., visited in town last week.

Miss Jennie Van Warmer of Toledo, Ohio, is a guest at F. M. Van Warmer.

Mrs. Ella Greene, of Portville, N. Y., was a guest of the Kenyon Bros. over Sunday.

Bert McIntosh and family have returned to their residence in this place after an absence of several months.

The Rowe Gas Co., struck gas in their well on the Parker lot Wednesday, at a depth of 1150 feet. Ceres people is well by our citizens in [illegible] of fuel and light that will not come at as high a figure as fire.

The Republican caucus held on Saturday evening was hotly contested between E. B. Benson and L. McDonald on one side, and John A. Eastman and F. W. Wells on the other, resulting in the election of the last mentioned.

FOSTER BROOK VALLEY.

George Valding was seriously ill last week.

Messrs H. H. and E. W. Argue have returned from a business trip to Buffalo.

Miss Pearl Boardman is entertaining her cousin, Earl Moore, of Sugar Grove.

J. Kingsley, for a long time a resident of this Gilmore, has removed his family to West Virginia.

Mrs. M. H. Argue, delightfully entertained a large party of ladies at tea on Thursday evening last.

Frank North is visiting his brother, Sam North. He will be accompanied home by his sister, Miss Pearl North.

Public Schools in this place will close on Wednesday, April 13th. A select school will be begun by Prof. L. M. Cooper, and continued for twelve weeks. At the close an examination will be held by Supt. Kekes.

Miss Jennie McKinney, teacher of the Primary Dept. was absent on Thursday and Friday of last week, being in attendance at the funeral of her grandfather, J. Brandon, of Allentown, N. Y. The school was ably conducted during her absence by M. H. Argue.

CLERMONT.

Mrs. McPartie is on the sick list.

Mrs. M. J. Malony is reported quite ill.

Jacob Ahead has purchased a fine span of horses.

A young daughter came to stay at the house of J. Emery.

Caucus passed off quietly L. Emery receiving the delegates.

L. Bayer's mill is now running with a full crew, cutting from forty to fifty thousand feet of lumber per day.

A wise to the maiden said [illegible] the gay and festive bark peelers, who had during the few warm days made their appearance, was like the ground hog, obliged to crawl back and wait for spring.

There will be Easter services held in the Union Church next Sunday at the usual hour, a. m. All are invited, and don't forget your pocket books as there is a collection to be taken up for the missionary cause.

BRADFORD.

Bradford was well represented at the convention Tuesday.

A petition is being circulated to have the 2d ward, City of Bradford, changed so that it will elect four delegates instead of two.

A great deal of loud talk was enjoyed on the train Tuesday evening amongst the delegates, no one was injured however.

Geo. H. Fisher, of this city, is the proudest man in town because he shot a large black duck Tuesday.

Hon. F. M. Johnson is suffering with a sore throat, he however is still attending to business.

Robt. L. Edgett was highly complimented by his friends at the Convention, for the masterly manner in which he presented the name of Hon. L. Emery, Jr.

Dell Emery has returned after an absence of nearly two months.

The Option house is being newly painted papered and renovated.

A little Italian boy died suddenly at camp 4 near Big Shanty Sunday; Coroner Slocum investigated the case.

The venerable Hon. P. H. Fuller was in town last week.

—Garden seeds in bulk can be procured at the store of G. W. Williams & Son.

O, this dull, depressing headache,
That won't wear off;
This hawking and this spitting,
And this hacking cough.
I've lost my sense of smelling,
And taste's going too.
I know catarrh's what ails me.
But—what shall I do?
My hacking and my hawking
Keeps up a steady din;
I'm haunted by the fear that
Consumption may set in.
I feel supremely wretched;
No wonder I'm blue,
I know my health's failing,
But—what can I do?

Do! I'll tell you what to do, my friend, if you'll lend me your ear a minute. Go down to the drug store and buy Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, and take it according to directions given, and you'll soon find that this miserable headache is a thing of the past; the hacking, hawking and spitting, so disagreeable to others as well as yourself, will come to an end, and in a short time you will feel like a new man. A new man think of that—and all for fifty cents, which is the price of Dr. Sage's catarrh remedy, the unfailing cure for this terrible disease.

—ATTENTION FARMERS.—A car load of choice timothy and clover seed just received at W. D. Gallup's.

BRADFORD DRIVING PARK.

Races June 28 to July 1, '92 Inclusive—Hotel Guaranteed Stake $300.

The management offer the above stake, guaranteed by the several hotels of this city, for horses owned in McKean county April 1, 1892, which have never started in a race. Open to trotters only and will be trotted for on the third day of the meeting, June 30. Entrance fee 5 per cent, and 5 per cent additional from winners. Payable $8 50 April 25th, when horses are to be named, and $6 50 payable June 6th. Mile Heats in harness best three in five. Same conditions as govern other classes.

W. R. WEAVER, Secretary.

How to Succeed.

This is the great problem of life which few satisfactorily solve. Some fail because of poor health, others want of luck, but the majority from deficient grit—want of nerve. They are nervous, irresolute, changeable, easily get the blues and "take the spirits down to keep the spirits up," thus wasting money, time, opportunity and nerve force. There is nothing like the Restorative Nervine, discovered by the great specialist, Dr. Miles, to cure all nervous diseases, as headache, the blues, nervous prostration, sleeplessness, neuralgia, St. Vitus dance, fits, and hysteria. Trial bottles and a fine book of testimonials free at A. B. Armstrong's.

The Whirlpool Washer.

Clothes washing has finally become an easy task. Washing day is hereafter not to be dreaded. The Whirlpool Washer is a machine which will do the washing for a large family in less than an hour and do it perfectly and without injury to the goods washed. We have not room to say as much about this machine as we would like to this week, but any lady who wants to see this perfection of a clothes washer at work, can do so by calling at the residence of James Maguire on Water street or L. Rogers on King street any Monday morning. Seeing is believing.

—For years the editor of the *Burlington Junction* (Mo.) *Post* has been subject to cramp colic or fits of indigestion which prostrated him for several hours and unfitted him for business for two or three days. For the past year he has been using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy whenever occasion required, and it has invariably given him prompt relief. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. B. Armstrong, Druggist.

—RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by A. B. Armstrong Druggist, Smethport.

—The promptness and certainty of its cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy famous. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping coughs, and is the most effectual remedy known for these diseases. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. B. Armstrong, Druggist.

Catarrh in New England.

Ely's Cream Balm gives satisfaction to every one using it for catarrhal troubles.—G. K. Mellor, Druggist, Worcester, Mass.

I believe Ely's Cream Balm is the best article for catarrh ever offered the public.—Bush & Co., Druggists, Worcester, Mass.

An article of real merit.—C. P. Alden, Druggist, Springfield, Mass.

Those who use it speak highly of it.—Geo. A. Hill, Druggist, Springfield, Mass.

Cream Balm has given satisfactory results. W. P. Draper, Druggist, Springfield, Mass.

—ATTENTION FARMERS.—A car load of choice timothy and clover seed just received at W. D. Gallup's.

FOR SALE.

The Conley 50 acre farm in Smethport school district. Also the Chas. McElwee farm of 60 acres or more adjoining the Poor House property. Improved, good orchards and both farms finely watered from durable springs. Terms easy: $300 down on Conley lot and $500 down on McElwee farm, balance to suit purchasers.

W. S. BROWNELL.

Smethport, March 10th, 1892.

Attention Farmers

A car load of choice timothy and clover seed just received at

W. D. GALLUP'S.

Good Looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep, depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look, if your stomach be disordered you have a dyspeptic look, and if your kidneys be affected you have a pinched look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alterative and tonic acts directly on these vital organs. Cures pimples, blotches, boils and gives a good complexion. Sold at F. D. Foster's Drug Store, 50c. per bottle.

True Economy.

No matter how many hundred doses of any other medicine are offered for a dollar, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the cheapest blood purifier sold, through druggists, because it's guaranteed, and your money is returned if it doesn't benefit or cure.

With its use you only pay for the good you get.

Can you ask more.

EVERYBODY'S COLUMN.

Items of Interest Gathered from Various Sources by the Man With the Shears.

—The wall pin fad is having a run.

—Go to Sprague's for fishing tackle.

—Spring wraps at Stickney & Ritchie.

—No use for spring fever prescriptions.

—Smokers' articles of every description at Emil Thamm's.

—For fine tobacco, cigars, etc., go to Emil Thamm's.

—Easter souvenir spoons are popular as gifts.

—Oil cloths below cost at Sprague's hardware store.

—Bran, corn, screenings, middlings, etc., at G. W. Williams & Sons.

—"Ta-ra-ra Boom-de-ay" is the great song of the day.

—For Sale—a good horse sound in every respect. Apply to Dr. Borg Chadwick.

—Lancewood and split Bamboo rods, all kinds of fishing tackle at Sprague's hardware store.

—Garden seeds in bulk can be procured at the store of G. W. Williams & Son.

Plows and harrows at cost at Sprague's. Don't fail to look this stock over before purchasing elsewhere.

—A large stock of heating and cooking stoves at Sprague's hardware store that may be bought at your own prices.

—Diamonds are now mounted with merely enough gold to hold the stone.

—Sherman—Williams's paint, ever color and shade at Sprague's hardware store. This is the finest paint on the market and is sold on a positive guarantee.

A Snap! Do not forget the handsome three quarter life size crayon portraits that Stickney and Ritchie are giving to their patrons purchasing $15.00 worth of goods.

—The window exhibit of Mrs. J. W. Reilly surpasses anything ever seen in Smethport. The piece represents a gate ajar and is really artistic in its arrangement and conception.

—Very young chickens are preparing for the annual exodus from the narrow confines of their prison cells.

—For a nice dish of oysters clams on the half shell or a nice lunch or meal of any kind go to Howard F. Wilson the novelty restaurant Smethport two doors below the Chautauqua House.

—Shell and count oysters and clams direct from Baltimore, served in every style at Wilson's Novelty Restaurant, two doors below the Chautauqua House. Families supplied with shell or bulk oysters or clams.

—The grand opening of millinery goods at Mrs. J. W. Reilly's will be one of the events of the season. Her stock surpasses anything that has ever been brought to Smethport and is well worth inspection. All the latest novelties in hats, bonnets, flowers, etc., are here to be found in profusion.

—Mrs. T. D. Nash has secured the services of Miss Lizzie Burgle formerly of Buffalo, but now of Warren, for her trimming department, for the season of 1892. Miss Burgle is an experienced, first class trimmer in every respect, which fact will maintain the well earned reputation of Mrs. Nash's establishment for fashionable artistic Millinery at moderate prices.

B. H. & Co.

CASH AND ONE PRICE.

Special.

BUFFALO, April 13, 1892.

25,000 yards of Spring wool dress goods in desirable shades and styles at 25 cents a yard! Never sold for less than 37½c

We're glad to send samples to any address. It seems absurd to be selling really fine dress stuffs for so little money, but big transactions enable us to do apparently absurd things.

Carpets.

These are days suggestive of new Carpets and housefurnishings. There are tons of them waiting to be sold at all sorts of prices. Wise people are careful in the buying. We like to do business with such folks

Our stock is full of new carpets collected by direct shipments from the best known makers. It is the largest stock in Western New York and has many choice selections. Between than that we *guarantee* every yard of carpet we sell, thus insuring you against possible mistakes.

The one price method and fair uniform prices are characteristic of this business throughout. We buy and sell carpets as we do dress goods. You get the best of everything here and save money.

Housefurnishings.

The present time is opportune for those who intend to refurnish homes or improve them in any particular. We have an entire floor devoted to lace and chenille curtains, wall and furniture coverings, upholstry stuffs and a vast range of goods calculated to beautify the home. Our own past is our only competition in such things. The fact that large contracts come to us for furnishing hotels and other public buildings presupposes superiority. There are reasons why you can't afford to skip this store when the upholstry question is uppermost.

Estimates furnished upon application. An experienced designer at your service.

BARNES HENGERER & CO.

Sweeter than Honey in the Honeycomb.

"What in life is half so sweet,
As the hour when lovers meet."

Nothing is sweeter to the youthful and robust in health, but, alas! too many "Court in poetry, and live in prose, after marriage." This is especially true of the wives whose changed relations bring on weakness and derangements peculiar to married women, so that their lives become "prosy." To all such, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a great boon. It cures weak backs, headaches, neuralgia and bearing-down pains, displacements and irregularities of the female organs. It is like a restorative and invigorating tonic, strengthening the nerves, and imparting new life to the tired and debilitated, bringing back the "roses to the cheek," and the "rainbows to the eyes." Sold by all druggists, under *guarantee* from its makers of satisfaction in every case, or price ($1.00) refunded.

Notice.

Mr. P Weber has rented the basement of the store occupied by Stickney & Ritchie, and has put in a full line of flour, feed, bran, middlings, whole corn, cracked corn, bolted and unbolted meal, etc. Mr. Weber is a goods practical miller and understands what goods to handle to give good satisfaction to his customers. Terms cash and one price. Give him a call.

Horses For Sale.

Ten good young horses weighing from 1000 to 1300 pounds each. Drivers, drivery, and general purpose stock.

PALMER & CHURCH.

Smethport, Pa., April 7, 1892.

THE BAZAAR.

Bradford's Leading Dry Goods and Cloak House, 18 Main Street—One Price To All.

Our line of Dress Goods you'll find unusually large both in medium and better grades; both of which mean money saved to our customers.

Our most popular lines are 25c. 50c., 75c. and $1.00, in Crepons, Whip Cords, Bedford Cords and Hymala suiting. We think if you'll examine these goods you'll find quality ahead of price.

Black Dress Goods.

Our stock embraces all the leading fabrics. Our 50c. Henrietta and Serges, strictly all wool are good values; also our 46-inch all wool Henrietta at 75c. and $1.00 is exceptionally good. China silk, Surah silk—all new spring shades. See our China dress silks at 48c. a yard., it'll do you good.

Jackets, Capes, Newmarkets.

We are showing the largest line of garments for ladies, misses and children's wear ever shown in this city, Ladies jackets at $2 88, $3.75 $4.50, $5.50, $7.00 up to $15.00. capes at $7.50, $9.50 and $12.00 Newmarkets at $7.50, $10, $12, $15.

Try the Bazaar for your trading. Strictly one price to all and that the lowest.

P. S.—We will allow car fare one way on every $15 purchase. One. Price. THE BAZAAR, Bradford, Pa.

P. S.—Samples sent upon application.

HOP BALSAM

NATURE'S COBBLER, Repairing, Mending, Making the Old and Worn Out New.

HOP BALSAM is composed of fresh hops and the best gums, balsams and expectorants known—producing refreshing sleep, and when the mind is at repose it assists nature—and heals the body. The hop-tafel and medicinal properties of the hop are well known. Hop Balsam will cure Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Sore Throat, Consumption, Bronchitis, and all Pulmonary Complaints. It assists to raise the phlegm and clear the lungs of all morbid matter. Mothers will find the BALSAM excellent, both for themselves and children. It cures when cure is possible. Try it.

IT CURES the most stubborn cases, when all other remedies have failed.

IT ALLAYS the racking pains, relieves the sufferer from that terrible Cough when one is in the balance.

If you are troubled with Lung or Pulmonary complaints you should take HOP BALSAM.

Get a large bottle for 35 cents.	Get a free sample at your druggist.

Do not accept a substitute. Wholesale Depot, 383 and 385 Washington Street, BUFFALO, N. Y.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A Petition will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of McKean County, Pennsylvania, at Smethport, on Monday, the 18th day of April 1892, at 2 o'clock p. m., to transfer the hotel license of Wm. P. Riley, granted May 17th, 1891, for one year from the first Monday of June, 1891, to James McFarlin, of the borough of Eldred, in said county and stat, formerly a hotel keeper: said license being for a hotel situated on Main street in the borough of Eldred, at the corner of the street leading to the W. N. Y. & P. R. R. depot, and known as the St. Elmo Hotel.

March 23, 1892-3w. P. R. COTTER, Att'y.

KEYSTONE REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE,

DUBOIS, PENN'A.

Falls Creek,

The Coming Industrial Centre of Western Pennsylvania.

Choice lots, 50x150 feet, eligibly situated for either business or residence purposes. Alleys in the rear of all lots. No reservations. Clear titles. No undermining. Five railroads. Stone quarries. Natural gas. Pure water. Glass sand. Tanneries. Planing mills, saw mills, shingle mills.

HEMLOCK TIMBER AND BARK.—1,000 acre tract of standing hemlock. Situated in Forest county, 3 miles from rail, 4 miles from river. Eighteen million feet of hemlock and 12,000 cords of bark. Twelve years in which to clear. Price reasonable.

DuBois properties always in our hands.

Properties sold on commission. No sale no pay.

Correspondence solicited.

Connected by telephone.

CHAS. F. BURNHAM,
Long & Brady Building, DuBois, Pa.

BAYER HOUSE,

CLERMONT, PA.

New House; New Furniture. Everything about the premises neat and clean. Table supplied with the best in the market. Patronage of the public solicited.

A. J. AXBURGH, Proprietor.

Mar. 25, 92—1y

THE NEXT MORNING I FEEL BRIGHT AND NEW AND MY COMPLEXION IS BETTER.

My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. This drink is made from herbs, and is prepared for use as easily as tea. It is called

LANE'S MEDICINE.

All druggists sell it at 50c. and $1.00 per package. Buy one to-day. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy, this is necessary.

Administrator's Notice.

ESTATE OF MRS. A. T. RIXSON, deceased. Letters of Administration on the estate of Mrs. A. T. Rixson, late of Smethport borough, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, have been granted to D. C. Young, residing in said Smethport borough, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same duly authenticated, without delay.

D. C. YOUNG,
March 25, 1892 6 w. Administrator.

Administratrix Notice.

Letters testamentary under the last will of Henry Chevalier, late of Otto township, McKean county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims against said estate will present the same for settlement and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to

MARGARET CHEVALIER, Administratrix.
Glenn, McKean Co., Pa., March 18, 1892.

FOR SALE.

Four Litters of Pigs, four weeks old the 21st of April.

Also Black Minorca Fowls and Eggs.

A. H. SPANGLER,
East Smethport, Pa.

New Spring Goods

ARRIVING DAILY

AT

Stickney, Ritchie & Co.

Our stock of spring goods never was so complete as it is this Spring. Amoskeag Ginghams, Scotch Zephyrs, Domestic Zephyrs, Home Spun and Irish Twill Flannels, Brocaded Italian Cloths, Flannelettes, E[illegible] all pretty soft colors, and

-:- IN SINGLE DRESS PATTERNS. -:-

The Carpet Department

Has been replenished with a handsome line of the celebrated Lowell carpets, in the latest designs and the newest colors Quality and prices guaranteed.

Our Boot and Shoe Stock

Has not been forgotten. It is better this Spring than ever before. We have all the newest styles on the market, and the quality the best.

Our other departments are being replenished daily with new and seasonable goods.

Stickney, Ritchie & Co.

Smethport, Pa., March 6, 1892.

SEE HERE!

Greater bargains than ever. In all classes of goods desired by the average buyers. My Store is headquarters for special bargains in Shoes for the

NEXT FEW WEEKS!

I am trying to reduce stock in this particular line to make room for new and fresh goods which are now arriving and being marked lower than the same goods were ever offered in this market.

Come and See for Yourself.

It's cash that's cutting prices. By selling for cash I have no bad debts to make up on my customers, each and every one can buy at the same price.

No Two Price House Here,

I have just received a very attractive and cheap line of wash goods in the latest designs, they are a genuine bargain.

My line of groceries is complete in every respect and first-class. Try the Emporium Flour, you who have not done so. It's the best in town for the money.

Don't Forget the Drive

In Shoes I am offering for a few days. To reduce stock and to get the price of course.

Thanking the public for past patronage and asking a continuance of the same, I remain

Respectfully,

D. C. YOUNG,

Smethport, Pa., Jan., 1892. Cor Main and Union Sts.

County, as returned by the Assessors of the several Townships, Wards and Boroughs, subject to State and County Tax, for the year 1892, with the Taxes Against Same.

TOWNSHIPS, WARDS AND BOROUGHS	[illegible]	Valuation of Seated Real Estate	Valuation of Unseated Real Estate	Horses, Mares, Geldings & Mules over the age of 4 years: No.	Value	Cows and neat Cattle over the age of 4 years: No.	Value	Aggregate amount of all real and personal property taxable for County purposes	[illegible]	Aggregate amount of State Tax assessed	Number of Dogs and Bitches
Annin Township	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bradford Township	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bradford City, 1st ward	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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The above statement shows the aggregate value and assessment made by each Assessor in McKean county, for the year 1892, upon property taxable by law for County and State purposes. This statement, made in accordance with the act of July 27, 1842, also showing the amount of taxes assessed on each ward, borough and township in said county. All persons interested are hereby notified that the undersigned Commissioners will sit as a Board of Revision, at their office, in the Court House, in the borough of Smethport, on the 4th day of April 1892, and from day to day by adjournment thereafter, to revise, value and equalize the valuation of all property which they shall believe to have been assessed too low. After the revision and equalization shall have been completed, due notice will be given of the time and place where appeals may be made to said Commissioners sitting as a Board of Revision and Appeal.

NOTICE OF APPEALS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners will be at the places named below at the time specified, for the purpose of listening to appeals from the assessment as revised and equalized. The assessors are expected to be in attendance at time of appeal for their respective districts.

Appeals on Military enrollments will be held on same days at same places.

For Keating township April 22, Norwich and Sergeant townships April 23 and Smethport borough April 25, at Smethport.

Kane borough, April 26, Wetmore and Hamilton townships April 27 at Kane.

Hamlin township, April 28, at Mt. Jewett.

Lafayette township, April 29, at Mt. Alton.

Bradford City 1st and 2d wards, May 2d, 3d and 4th wards, May 3d, 5th ward and Kendall borough, May 4th at Bradford City Building.

Bradford township, May 5th, at Bradford City Building.

Foster and Corydon townships, May 6th at Bradford, City building.

Eldred borough May 9, and Eldred and Ceres townships May 10, at Eldred.

Otto township, May 11, at Duke Centre.

Port Allegany borough and Annin township, May 12, and Liberty township, May 13, at Port Allegany.

Given under our hands and seal of office at Smethport, Pa., this 28th day of March 1892.

JAMES BIGGINS,
FRANK D. SIMAR,
J. H. TATE,
Commissioners.

Attest
M. B. GREEN, Clerk.

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SMETHPORT, PA.,

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OUR EPICUREAN DEPARTMENT is supplied with all the leading brands of Canned and Bottled Goods, including fruits, vegetables, meats, soups, etc.

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Dealers in and Manufacturers of

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They also keep a full supply of

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Also a large and complete variety of

TRUNKS & VALISES

Which they propose to sell at manufacturers' prices. Call and examine our goods and prices and become satisfied that it is a waste of time to look elsewhere for goods we sell. We are selling our goods as low as any house west of New York for quality.

GLEASON & LEMMLER.

Smethport, Pa., March 12, 1892.

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MEDAL OF HONOR GALLANTLY WON

Members of Many Military Organizations Resent an Insult to Their Comrade, Pennsylvania's Junior Senator.

Members of the Grand Army, the Loyal Legion, the Legion of the Medal of Honor and other military organizations in which Colonel M. S. Quay holds active membership, since the last malignant assault on the junior senator and criticism of his soldier record by Dalzell's Philadelphia organ, are showing a deeper interest in his candidacy for re-election.

Colonel Quay's Friends Active.

It appears that during Senator Quay's recent illness some of his old soldier comrades, after the announcement of his candidacy was gotten up by survivors of his old regiment prepared a document in which brief mention was made of the colonel's army record. Reference was made to the fact that he had been awarded a medal of honor for bravery at the battle of Fredericksburg. In the blindness of the fury with which the Dalzell men are assailing Senator Quay their Philadelphia organ attempted to detract from the honor that had been conferred upon the distinguished Beaver soldier and statesman. They even disputed the claim for the medal which is so highly prized by Senator Quay and his beloved wife and children.

Records of the Colonel's Bravery.

The records of the war department have been looked up, and here is the official entry regarding Colonel Quay's medal.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, July 9, 1888.

Hon. M. S. QUAY
United States Senate.

Sir—I have the honor to transmit herewith a medal of honor granted to you as colonel of the One Hundred and Thirty-fourth Pennsylvania volunteers, by the secretary of war for distinguished services at the battle of Fredericksburg, Va., Dec. 13, 1862.

This medal is issued on the request of Colonel William H. Shaw, Captain J. M. Clark and fifty other surviving officers and soldiers of the One Hundred and Thirty-fourth Pennsylvania volunteers, and on the presentation of satisfactory evidence by them showing that, under the law, you are entitled to same.

I am, sir, Very respectfully
Your obedient servant,
R. C. DRUM,
Adjutant General.

The following is an extract from the report of Brigadier General E. B. Tyler commanding First brigade, Third division (Brigadier General A. A. Humphreys) Fifth corps (Brigadier General Daniel Butterfield)

CAMP IN THE FIELD, Dec. 21, 1862. Headquarters Tyler's brigade.

* * * *

Colonel M. S. Quay, late of the One-hundred-and thirty-fourth Pennsylvania infantry was upon my staff as a volunteer aide-de-camp, and to him I am greatly indebted. Notwithstanding his enfeebled health he was in the saddle early and late, ever prompt and efficient, and especially so during the engagement on the field.

* * * *

It will be seen from General Drum's letter that the medal was awarded to Colonel Quay while Mr Cleveland was president and Mr Endicott was secretary of war. The testimony of survivors of the One Hundred and Thirty fourth Pennsylvania infantry shows that Colonel Quay had resigned from the service on account of typhoid fever but when he heard that a battle was near declined to leave the front; that he applied for permission to lead his regiment in the battle but having resigned, that right had of course become vested in the lieutenant-colonel and the permission could not be granted; that he therefore volunteered as an aid upon the staff of the brigade commander General Tyler.

Scene of a Terrible Slaughter.

The charge at the battle of Fredericksburg, in which Colonel Quay took part was one of the most terrible and thrilling incidents in the war. Five Confederate brigades were intrenched behind a stone wall. Two hundred Confederate cannon on Marye's Heights covered an intervening plain. In an effort to dislodge the rebels, General Humphreys's forces were frightfully slaughtered by the artillery. Over 6 000 Union soldiers were left dead at the foot of the hill. Over half the loss of the Fifth corps fell on Humphreys's division of men from Pennsylvania, and General Tyler's small brigade with which Colonel Quay served in a perilous position lost 454 men. General Longstreet says that that plain, filled with Union dead, was one of the most distressing sights he ever saw.

One might as well express doubts as to the force of Niagara or the heat of the sun as to question the peril and courage of any man who charged with Humphreys's division across that bloody plain and by his soldierly conduct won the respect of the men who charged with him, the encomiums of his superior officer and a medal of honor from congress.

POLITICAL MASQUERADERS.

Philadelphia Mugwumps and Their Guerilla Warfare on Republicans.

That crank gang of Mugwumps in Philadelphia says the Harrisburg Telegraph who are masquerading under the name of the Reform Republican league in order to cut the throat of the Republican party is meeting with little encouragement in its guerilla warfare against Republican leaders. Why doesn't some good Philadelphia Republican newspaper give us the names and political history of the members of this "Reform league?"

We have no doubt, adds the Miners' Journal, that this league, if its membership could be known, would be found to consist of the same old Philadelphia coterie who appear as reformers or Independent or Republican leaguers, as the occasion seems propitious. They are not authorized to speak for the Republican party or any element thereof, but are really Mugwumps, the sort of people whom Samuel J. Tilden once neatly characterized as being men who import malice into politics without even the excuse of party bias.

Should Stand Together.

All Republicans should stand shoulder to shoulder for the peerless politician, statesman and soldier, Matthew S. Quay.—Wellsboro Republican.

Young Mr. Dalzell's Drubbing.

The severe drubbing administered young Mr Dalzell in Armstrong, Snyder, Union and other counties is the prevailing theme of conversation among politicians, as the result clearly demonstrated the hopelessness of Dalzell's senatorial aspirations.

In these counties the issue was plainly defined at the primaries. The question was whether a tried and experienced senator should be retained or be removed to make room for an enthusiastic young man whose ambition led him into a campaign of misrepresentation and shifty political practices. The result was a great triumph for Mr Quay.—Philadelphia Evening News.

Safety in the Midst of Danger.

This would seem a contradiction—in sp[illegible] fact, to the eye. But experience has proved its possibility. Take the case of the individual who dwells in a malarious region. A robust constitution is no certain defense against the dreaded chills. What is? Recorded testimony, covering a period little short of half a century, proves that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is precisely this. This continent does not bound the field where the medicine has proved its efficacy. In South America, the Isthmus of Panama, Mexico, everywhere in fact where miasma-born disease takes on its most obstinate and formidable types, the bitters is a recognized remedy in inestimable demand, and prescribed by physicians of repute. [illegible] in disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels, and against the destroyer, la grippe. It improves appetite and sleep, neutralizes rheumatic and kidney complaints.

—A fine line of confectionery, tobacco and cigars just received at Howard F. Wilson's, at the novelty restaurant. All fresh and pure. No old stock.

CONVICTED OUT OF HIS OWN MOUTH.

Dalzell's Autobiography from the Congressional Directory Settles His With the Grangers and Workingmen Generally.

As was instanced in the counties that have already expressed their preference at the Republican primaries, the farmers of Pennsylvania are almost a unit in opposing the candidacy of John Dalzell for the United States senate. His intimate relations with corporations early in the canvass caused him to be dubbed by some of his granger opponents, "Corporation John."

Tactics resorted to since by his supporters in Armstrong, in their desperate but futile efforts to carry the county against Senator Quay, have provoked bitter resentment and vigorous condemnation not from grangers alone, but from workingmen generally throughout the commonwealth.

Hungarians Rock Dalzell.

The charge has been boldly made and widely circulated, and a denial is yet to be heard, that a large body of Hungarians, employed by corporations in Armstrong were naturalized a short time before the primaries at the dictation of their employers. On the day of the primaries, it is alleged, these imported laborers were driven to the polls like flocks of sheep and handed tickets which they obediently and blindly voted in favor of the Hon. John Dalzell for United States senator. The ignorant workingmen were probably not to blame, but this instance is given as an example of the character of a campaign that is being conducted in behalf of this ambitious Pittsburger.

Convicted Out of His Own Mouth.

Some of the most active and leading grangers in the state have interested themselves that the true record of this aspiring politician shall become known to all Republican farmers and workingmen. A public document, issued by the federal government, is the strongest card they play or could desire.

The Congressional Directory is a government work, published each year, containing biographical sketches of members of congress. These sketches are furnished by the members themselves. The opponents of Mr Dalzell have simply clipped out page 101 of the Congressional Directory which with others, gives the sketch of Mr Dalzell, written by himself in which he says that he "at the time of his election was, and for many years had been one of the attorneys for the Pennsylvania Railroad company, and for all the western lines, was also attorney for many corporations in Allegheny county."

The People Are Not Fools.

On an accompanying flyleaf which is attached to this page taken from the Congressional Directory, attention is called to the record of "Corporation John" as Mr Dalzell is styled and all who wish to verify the quotation given above are advised to write to their congressman for a copy of the volume containing the sketches referred to.

"This same John Dalzell," continues the document "whose biographical sketch, written by himself, speaks of him as the attorney for the Pennsylvania Railroad company and the attorney for many other corporations is now posing as 'the champion of the people—the friend of the farmers.' He must think the people are fools."

Grangers Should Support Quay.

"We do not believe that any granger who has the interests of his order at heart will vote for Corporation John," says Editor Shearer of the Wellsboro Republican Advocate. "We don't believe that a man can and be true to the order to which he has sworn fealty. The idea of a granger voting directly to put in office a self confessed corporation tool. The grangers should not fail to carefully consider this matter and remember that Mr Quay, while a member of the legislature, drafted a bill to remove the state tax on your farm and, as chairman of the ways and means committee, saw it passed."

THEY ARE NOT THE PEOPLE.

A Forcible Opinion of the Backers of Young Dalzell

"An argument of the dudes and goody goodies in the Republican party," says Editor Swank, of the Johnstown Tribune, "has been for years that it was the machine that made the nominations in the party, and if the people had the opportunity they would turn things topsy turvy. They—a few millionaires with a small complement of hangers-on, brothers, sons, uncles, and cousins—imagined they were the people, and, not recognizing the mechanics, farmers, laborers and veteran soldiers of any consequence said let us vote for our dude—Dalzell—and we will show who we—the people—want to represent us, and they have been given an opportunity throughout the state to test their grand bunk. They tried it in Blair opposing Senator Lemon because he was supposed to not favor Dalzell's election to the United States senate, and they got about one vote in five, then they tried it in Armstrong, Snyder and Union and other counties and in the former they were snowed under by over one thousand majority and in the second county they got but two hundred and fifty votes all told, and in Union county a corporal's guard.

"They are fast finding out that the Republican sun don't revolve round them and that they are not the people. They have some power as a minority for evil, as when they kicked against Hartranft, Beaver and Delamater, but they could not carry a little bit of an election if left to themselves.

Quay Will Be Needed.

Learn this. If Harrison is to be renominated, and all the indications point that way, he will need Quay's aid more urgently than that of any other individual Republican. The battle in the fall will be a big one—a royal one, in fact, and the Republicans will need the active support of all of its great leaders. Not one can be dispensed with—and not Quay, assuredly.—Wilkesbarre Record.

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It is manufactured as a powder, which can be given in a glass of beer, a cup of coffee or tea, or in food, without the knowledge of the patient. It is absolutely harmless, and will effect a permanent and speedy cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or an alcoholic wreck. It has been given in thousands of cases, and in every instance a perfect cure has followed. It never Fails. The system once impregnated with the Specific, it becomes an utter impossibility for the liquor appetite to exist. Cures guaranteed. 48 page book of particulars free. Address GOLDEN SPECIFIC Co., 185 Race St., Cincinnati, O.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever corns and skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Frank R. Foster, Druggist.

—For a number of years I have been subject to violent attacks of inflammatory rheumatism which generally lasted about two months. On the first of this month I was attacked in the knee and suffered severely for two days, when I procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it relieved me almost instantly. I therefore most cheerfully recommend it to those who are similarly afflicted everywhere.—R. D. WHITLEY, Martindale, N. C., Feb. 1892. Mr Whitley is a very prominent man in this place and his disease was very widely known as he suffered such severe pain.—W. M. HOUSTON & Co., Merchants, Martindale, N.C. 50 cent bottles for sale by A. B. Armstrong.

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Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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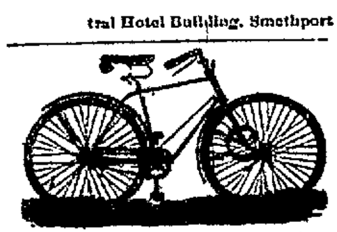

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Notice is hereby given that agreeably to the Act of Assembly, passed the 13th day of March 1815 entitled "An Act to amend an Act directing the mode of selling Unseated Land for taxes etc., the following tract of unseated land in McKean county will be exposed to public sale or outcry for arrearages of taxes, in the Court House, in the Borough of Smethport, Pa., on

MONDAY, JUNE 13th, 1892,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., unless sooner paid.

Annin Township,

Warrant	Acres		Taxes
115	113	W-S Brownell	[illegible]

L. ROGERS, Treas.

Smethport, April 4th, 1892.

Hotel,

Smethport, Pa.

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SEVERE EYE TROUBLE CURED.

I have been troubled with a disease for some time; the pain was almost unbearable at times and I couldn't think of reading or sewing at any time. I put myself under the care of Drs. McClellan & Salm who visit Butler every four weeks and after only three months treatment I consider myself entirely cured and safely say that my eyes feel better and have better vision than any time within the last [illegible] years.

M. S. O. LINES,
Butler, Pa., Oct. 29, W. Jefferson street.

WONDERFUL CURE PERFORMED IN BUTLER.

I have had a most fearful deep-eating ulcer on the root of my tongue, could only swallow with the greatest effort, and the pain was most terrible. Took a great deal of medicines and was treated by [illegible] but got steadily worse under their treatment. Instead of [illegible], Drs. McClellan & Salm have made a perfect cure of this fearful trouble in a very short time.

Respectfully,
MRS. McKEE SCOTT.

Butler, Pa., April 15 1891.

CROSS-EYED OPERATION.

I have been cross-eyed ever since infancy. On August 27 1890 I went to Drs. McClellan & Salm who visit Indiana every four weeks; they operated on my eye with perfect success without pain or loss of blood in about a minute's time.

Respectfully, KATE RUNKLE.
Parkwood, Indiana Co., Pa., Oct 22 1890.

PERFECTLY SATISFIED.

Am now 20 years of age and was born cross eyed. Drs. McClellan & Salm who visit Indiana every four weeks operated upon my left eye and [illegible]. It was done in one minute's time and without pain, and I now consider my eyes perfectly straight.

MAGGIE MILLER,
Marion Center, Indiana Co., Pa., Oct 23, 1890.

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After first treatment the most intense pain had vanished as if by magic. For nearly five years I have suffered most fearfully from fistula, fissure and ulceration of rectum. The pain [illegible] was almost unbearable at times, and at my [illegible] work was out of the question. After having tried the first treatment from Drs. McClellan & Salm the relief was remarkable and the fearful pain of years had vanished as if by magic. Allow me to say that a short course of treatment cured me entirely.

Gratefully,
J. H. HORNER.

EAR TROUBLE AND CATARRH.

I have been troubled with catarrh and deafness, ringing in the ear, about six years. Tried two different doctors in [illegible] and many patent medicines, with all the least benefit. I am now under Drs. McClellan & Salm's treatment four months, and the improvement is remarkable and I am certain that within a short time I'll be entirely cured. They are the doctors to go to get cured.

W. E. MILLER,
Kelley station, Armstrong Co., Pa., Oct. 5, 1890.

LUNG TROUBLE CURED.

In June of last year I put myself under treatment of Drs. McClellan & Salm for a bad case of lung trouble. I was losing flesh rapidly and becoming weaker daily, so that my friends and myself became very much alarmed. Although treated by several of our very best home physicians I began to sink more and more. At this stage I consider myself entirely cured of all my previous trouble, have once more a good appetite and can sleep and eat with pleasure, and am indeed very much satisfied with the result. Drs. McClellan & Salm have done all they promised.

S. E. RANKIN,
Mexico, Armstrong Co., Pa., Feb. 20, 1891.

TUMOR REMOVED FROM DRUM OF THE EAR.

I have had a tumor growing on my ear drum attached to the drum. Drs. McClellan & Salm removed the same four weeks ago without any pain, and now I can use now with splendid results. They are splendid physicians.

PETER ANKAN,
Somerset, Pa., January 14, 1891.

GROWTH REMOVED FROM THE EYEBALL.

Drs. McClellan & Salm have removed a hard, gristly growth from my left eye with perfect success and but little pain. The sight has improved to a great extent.

Respectfully
MRS. [illegible] ADAMS.
Wick, Butler Co., Pa., Jan. 28, 1891.

REMOVAL OF TUMOR FROM EYE-BALL.

A few months ago Drs. McClellan & Salm removed from my left eye-ball a tumor size of a small hazel nut with perfect success and no pain whatever, and I was not kept in the house a single day on account of the operation.

ALICE WORK.
Rochester Mills, Indiana Co., Pa., Jan 14, 1891.

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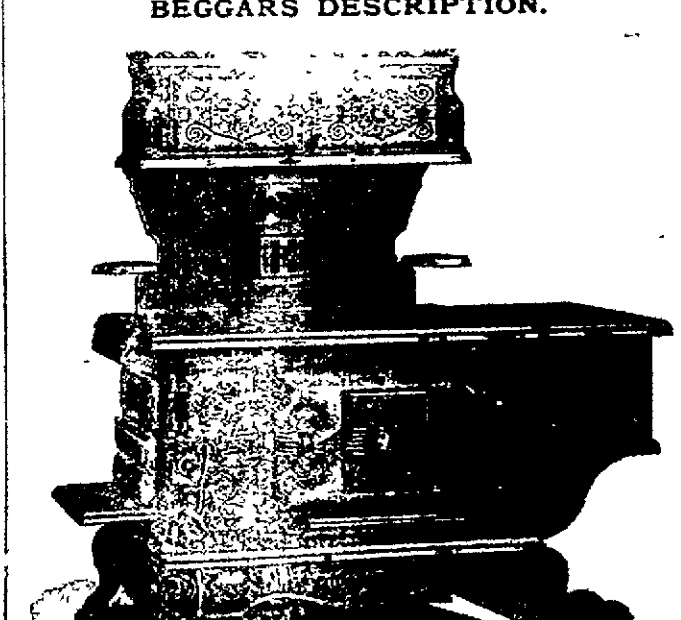

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TIME TABLE IN EFFECT MAY 1, 1892.

WESTWARD. EASTWARD.

			STATIONS			
[illegible]	[illegible]		ar Bradford lv	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		Kinzua Jn.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		Rixford	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		Duke Centre	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		Eldred	[illegible]	[illegible]	
			B. E. & C. R. R.			
[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		Lv. Bolivar Ar	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	ar Bradford lv	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Kinzua Junct'n	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mt. Jewett	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Kane	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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Between Buffalo, Rochester, Salamanca, Bradford, Ridgway, DuBois, Punxsutawney and the Coal and Lumber Regions of Western Penn.

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LEAVE BRADFORD—EAST BOUND.

8.10 a. m.—Buffalo & Rochester Express—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Golden, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy and Rochester.

2.50 p. m.—Mail—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Golden, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, Leroy, and Rochester.

[illegible] p. m.—Buffalo Express—Sundays only. For [illegible], Carrollton, Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Golden and Buffalo.

LEAVE MT. JEWETT—SOUTH BOUND.

6.17 a. m.—Accommodation—For Johnsonburgh, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

2.01 p. m.—Mail—For Johnsonburg, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

[illegible] p. m.—Accommodation—For Johnsonburg, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

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COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY Railroad Time Table, taken effect Monday, July 6, 1891.

AR. EASTW'D.			STATIONS.	LV WESTW'D.		
A. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Coudersport	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Fine Creek Jc.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Hammond	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Fish Hatch	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Olmsted	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mina	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Knowlton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Roulette	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Pumpers Bridge	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Burtville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Coleman	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Port Allegany	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Trains run on eastern standard time.

B. A. McCLURE, Supt.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE DIVISION TIME TABLE. In effect Nov 15, 1891.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCTION

EASTWARD.

[illegible] a. m.—Train 8, daily except Sunday, for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia [illegible] p. m., New York [illegible] p. m., Baltimore [illegible] p. m., Washington [illegible] p. m. Pullman Parlor car through from Williamsport and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia.

[illegible] p. m.—Train 6, daily except Sunday, for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia [illegible] a. m., New York [illegible] a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until [illegible] a. m.

[illegible] p. m.—Train 4, daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia [illegible] a. m., New York [illegible] a. m., Baltimore [illegible] a. m., Washington [illegible] a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie and Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia. Passengers in sleeper for Baltimore and Washington will be transferred into Washington sleeper at Harrisburg.

WESTWARD.

[illegible] a. m.—Train 1, daily except Sunday for Ridgway, DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations, leaves Ridgway [illegible] p. m. for Erie.

[illegible] a. m.—Train 3, daily for Erie and intermediate stations.

[illegible] p. m.—Train 11 daily except Sunday Kane and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS for EMPORIUM JUNCTION FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH

Train 1 leaves New York [illegible] p. m., daily except Sunday, arriving at Emporium Jc. [illegible] a. m.

Train 11 leaves Philadelphia [illegible] a. m., Washington [illegible] a. m., Baltimore [illegible] a. m. daily except Sunday arriving at Emporium Junction [illegible] p. m. with Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport and passenger coaches to Kane.

Train 3, leaves New York [illegible] p. m., Philadelphia [illegible] p. m., Washington [illegible] p. m., Baltimore [illegible] p. m., daily arriving at Emporium Junc. [illegible] a. m., with Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie.

JOHNSONBURG RAILROAD.
Daily except Sunday.

NORTH a. m. Lv.	STATIONS.	SOUTH Ar. a. m.
9 40	Ridgway	[illegible]
9 55	Johnsonburg	[illegible]
[illegible]	Glen Hazel	[illegible]
[illegible]	Straight	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Weedville	[illegible]
[illegible]	Clermont	[illegible]

Connections are made with train 1, leaving Johnsonburg at [illegible] a. m. for Erie and intermediate points, arriving at Erie at [illegible] p. m., also at Ridgway with train 8, leaving Ridgway at [illegible] p. m. for Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington.

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